COMIC PAGE
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1930.
TO THINK OF ALL THE PLANNING AND WORRYING I DID TO GET PEGGY MARRIED AND NOW THIS. AND THE WORST IS AHEAD OF ME TOO. WHAT AN OPPORTUNITY THIS IS FOR THE WOMEN WHO HAVE WAITED YEARS FOR A CHANCE LIKE THIS. IMAGINE!
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I'VE GOT A LICKING FOR YOU WRAPPED UP IN EACH FIST—COME AND GET IT!
IF THIS IS GONNA BE A FIGHT—LET'S MAKE IT A REAL ONE! ONE OF YOU BOYS SADDLE THREE NAGS—AND MAKE IT SNAPPY!
What's gonna happen now? What has Patches concocted? Just wait—you'll see plenty!
I DUNNO, SHE SWALLOWED IT
ONE FOR THE BOOK
THERE ARE FORTY STRAIGHT FLUSHES IN THE PACK THE CHANCES ARE 64,973 TO 1 AGAINST GETTING ONE OF THEM
—WHICH MEANS NOTHING TO AN OPTIMIST
WELL, THEN HOW DID YOU GET YOUR ARM BROKEN?
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ST. LOUIS TO KEEP CHRISTMAS WITH HOLIDAY EVENTS

Business in General to Be Suspended With Special Services in Nearly All Churches.

CAROLERS TO BE HEARD TONIGHT

Many Organizations Distribute Food and Toys to Make Day Cheerful Among Needy.

Christmas will be observed tomorrow as a general holiday, with business suspended and special services in most churches. The celebration will be well under way tonight. Christmas eve services will be held in many Episcopal churches and carolers will stroll about the city pausing to sing wherever welcomed by a lighted window.

The prospect for a "white Christmas" is regarded as slight. The Weather Bureau forecasts unsettled weather tomorrow with a possibility of snow or rain and a moderate temperature, probably a few degrees above freezing.

Midnight masses, a feature of Christmas services in Catholic churches in other years, have been discontinued this year and instead mass will be celebrated about sunrise in many churches. First mass at St. Patrick's Church will be at 4:30 a. m. In the New and Old Cathedrals the first mass will be at 5 a. m., and at St. John's Church, at 5:30 a. m. Archbishop Glennon will celebrate a pontifical high mass at the New Cathedral at 11 o'clock, the sermon at that mass to be by the Rev. Robert S. Johnston, president of St. Louis University.

Bishop Johnson to Preach.

Bishop Johnson of the Episcopal Church will preach at Christ Church Cathedral at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. The usual candlelight musical service will be held at the cathedral this afternoon at 5:15 o'clock, and there will be a communion service tonight at 11:30 o'clock.

The traditional custom of sunrise matins will be observed in most Lutheran churches. Many Protestant churches known as evangelical, which once regarded Christmas as a home holiday, will continue their recent custom of special services at churches on that day.

Soon after dusk tonight the carolers, estimated by the Christmas Carols Association to number about 5000, will begin their march through streets of the city and county. As usual, they will accept contributions to be used for the benefit of the association's charities.

Singers will visit all of the hospitals. At Jefferson Barracks there will be several programs for officers and enlisted men. Tomorrow the post will be awakened by carolers accompanied by the garrison band, going from barracks to barracks while singing.

No Delivery of Mail.

There will be no delivery service from the St. Louis postoffice tomorrow, but one collection will be made in the afternoon. Postmaster Michener expects postal receipts for December to fall about $100,000 below last year's figure of $1,300,000, although more first-class mail is being handled this year.

Many who sent parcels last year are economizing this year by sending greeting cards, the postmaster thinks. The peak day for Christmas mailing was Monday, when 400,000 pieces of first-class mail and 300,000 of all other classes went through the St. Louis postoffice.

The Christmas rush at the Postoffice has given temporary employment to 2542 men who will be paid about $50,000.

Four hundred baskets containing large supplies of staples and fruit, candy and nuts were distributed today in the river wards by Edward J. O'Hare, an attorney, and Dan O'Neil, former Constable, who were born and reared in the district. Capt. Frank Nally and police of the Carr Street District assisted with the delivery and provided names of needy families. A store building at 408 Morgan street was used as a depot. Presents also were provided for residents of Father Dempsey's Home for Workingmen.

Fourteen hundred patients at City Hospital will have a turkey dinner tomorrow through the kindness of Tom Kearney, betting commissioner, who has donated 1000 pounds of the fowl. Roast chicken will be served at City Sanitarium, Koch Hospital and Isolation Hospital. Roast pork and candy will be served to inmates of the Workhouse and a special dinner will be served also at the city jail. Toys donated by the public will

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Post-Dispatch Christmas Festival Plans

THE thirty-first annual Post-Dispatch Christmas Festival will be held tomorrow morning in the Coliseum. Ten thousand of the neediest children in St. Louis will be entertained with a treat and celebration.

All committee members are to be on hand at 7:30 o'clock.

The doors will be opened at 9 o'clock. Music will start at 9:30 and the performance at 9:50. Doors will be closed at 10 o'clock.

Owing to the limited seating space in the Coliseum, only children holding tickets will be admitted.

Special entrances will be as follows: Committee members, north door on Jefferson avenue; crippled children, south door on Jefferson avenue.

Admission tickets distributed yesterday are also good for transportation to and from the Coliseum. The "going" stub will be honored up to 10 a. m., and the "return" until 1:30 p. m.

STAR OF BETHLEHEM TO BE SHOWN AT BERLIN PLANETARIUM

Projector to Flash Representation of Conjunction of Jupiter and Saturn.

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—The star that shone over Bethlehem will be illustrated for Christmas tonight at the Berlin Planetarium, where an elaborate Zeiss apparatus projects images of hundreds of heavenly bodies upon a dome to represent the firmament at night.

One theory of the star of Bethlehem has been chosen for illustration at the planetarium. That is, that the great light seen in the skies on the first Christmas was produced by conjunction of Jupiter and Saturn, which observers of the period noted about the time of Christ's birth as appearing in the constellation Pisces, or the Fishes.

Fishes became a Christian symbol through the letters of the Greek word icthys (fish) which forms the initials of the Greek transcription of "Jesus Christ, Son of God, Saviour."

A large crowd is expected to watch tonight while the star effect is produced at the planetarium. An electrically operated machine will bring the two planetary images into conjunction producing an intensified radiance in the sky much as it may have been when the three wise men from the East followed it to worship at the manger.

The two other popular theories in explanation of the star of Bethlehem are that it was a comet, or that it was a nova, a star flashing for the first time into human vision.

FLYER KILLED IN LIQUOR PLANE CRASH IN INDIANA IDENTIFIED

George Kennedy Probably Was Taking Whisky to Friends, Acquaintances Say.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LA PORTE, Ind., Dec. 24.—Coroner's investigators and Department of Commerce agents today announced that the aviator whose plane crashed and burned here during a blinding snowstorm yesterday is believed to have been Bert Kennedy of Chicago. Investigators reported finding the remnants of four whisky bottles and one undamaged bottle. The body of the pilot was burned beyond recognition and most of the plane and cargo were destroyed. Kennedy's friends today said he probably was taking the liquor to friends in Indiana. A belt buckle in the wreckage bore Kennedy's initials. Kennedy was the brother of Mrs. Lillian Kahler, in whose Chicago apartment Willie Doody, condemned killer, was found hiding more than a year ago. Kennedy, who sometimes used the name of Bert J. Roesch, was a boyhood friend of Doody.

HERO OF PRISON BREAK FREED

Former Ball Player Receives Pardon From Ohio Governor.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 24.—Clifford W. (Tacks) Lattimer, former big league baseball player, received a Christmas pardon from Ohio penitentiary today from Gov. Cooper. Lattimer was serving life for second degree murder. The pardon was personally presented to Lattimer by the Governor.

Lattimer had been cited as a hero in a break of 13 members of the notorious Company K, "the prison bad boys," Nov. 8, 1926, when he seized a rifle and went to the aid of the guards. The men rushed through the main gate. Prison officials said Lattimer saved the life of Miss Amanda Thomas, daughter of Warden Thomas, when he protected her with the rifle. Lattimer, a former member of the New York National, Pittsburg and Cincinnati baseball teams, was admitted to the penitentiary Jan. 7, 1925, for the killing Nov. 24, 1924, of Charles E. Mackrodt, a fellow officer on a railroad police force.

No Publication Tomorrow

The Post-Dispatch will not publish tomorrow, Thursday, December 25th, 1930.

In the event only of receipt of news of extraordinary importance, demanding immediate publication, an extra will be issued.

5000 BASKETS OF FOOD FROM FESTIVAL FUND

Christmas Dinners Distributed to Needy by 100 Men Co-operating With the Post-Dispatch.

Christmas comes but once a year.
But when it comes it brings good cheer—

THAT little rhyme of childhood, on thousands of small tongues today, is just as true in St. Louis this year as it ever has been. Unemployment, sickness and other hardships in life notwithstanding, the destitute as well as the more fortunate homes are going to experience the joy of Christmas good cheer.

For the thirty-first Christmas, the Post-Dispatch Festival will see to it that a measure of hospitality is provided for those who otherwise would have a lean and lonely Christmas day.

Five thousand well-filled baskets for Christmas dinners were distributed throughout the city today.

Among other things, the baskets contained chickens, bread, potatoes, tomatoes, soup, onions, candy, beans, milk, rice, coffee, sugar, prunes and spaghetti.

Fifty-one city trucks, four touring cars and more than 100 men were used in the distribution. Many were the happy surprises at humble doors where of late privation had called more often than any other visitor.

The way the baskets were received would have been ample reward to the thousands who gave to the fund could they have but seen the joy occasioned by their generosity.

Tickets for the Festival.

Yesterday was ticket day. Throughout the city at various playgrounds boys and girls besieged members of the ticket committee for those highly prized pieces of cardboard which will admit them to the Coliseum in the morning. The happiness of those children from the city's destitute homes was another sight which would have made glad the hearts of those who have contributed to the fund.

There is no better way to sum up the Christmas Festival in the Coliseum than by paraphrasing the last words of the Gettysburg address. It will be of the children, by the children, for the children. Enough toys and other presents have been piled up in the Coliseum runways to provide gifts for a good-sized town.

The main part of the entertainment will be furnished by children of the Municipal community centers. "The Little Match Girl," arranged and directed by Reuben W. Tapperson, city superintendent of recreation, will employ nearly 900 from the Sherman, Mullanphy and Soulard centers.

Program at Coliseum.

The entertainment opens with a scene in a side street of a big city on Christmas eve many years ago. Little gamins of the pavement are shouting in glee at the prospects of joy on the morrow. As they scatter to go to their homes, a little match girl wanders in, shivering from the cold, trying in vain to sell her matches to the hurrying people. Everyone is too busy with last-minute buying to notice the little girl.

Forlorn and tired, she sits down. To warm her numbed fingers, she opens her box of matches and strikes a match and holds her freezing little hands over its glowing flame. With the approaching twilight and from the warmth which she receives from her matches she becomes sleepy. Silvery stars peep out from the blue

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TWO GROCERYMEN ARE SHOT, ROBBER CAUGHT IN FIGHT

Coconut Thrown by Store Manager Floors One of Holdup Pair in Shop at 226 North Euclid.

BUTCHER ARMED WITH MEAT CLEAVER

Second Thief Escapes Under Shower of Canned Goods, Firing Pistol as He Retreats to Door.

Two employes were shot and one of two robbers was captured last night in a fight in which coconuts, canned goods and a meat cleaver were used in resisting an attempt to hold up a Piggly-Wiggly grocery at 226 North Euclid avenue.

Oscar Frye, 46 years old, 5603 Theodosia avenue, a supervisor for the company, grappled with one of the robbers and was shot in the left arm by the second holdup man. Frank Haubert, 25, 3703 Washington avenue, the butcher, armed himself with a meat cleaver, vaulted a counter, but was brought down with another shot which struck him in the left thigh.

A well-aimed coconut, thrown by Kenneth Brueggeman, 4110 South Grand boulevard, manager of the store, struck the robber with whom Frye had struggled, knocking him down. The manager pinioned his arms.

One Robber Escapes in Auto.

The second holdup man continued firing but retreated toward the door under a volley of cans and coconuts thrown by Herman G. Frye, 1475 Clara avenue, son of the supervisor and an employe of the store, and two other workers, Ernest Daniel, 3738 Westminster place, and Arthur Redell, 3511 North Twentieth street. He escaped in an automobile parked in front of the place.

The prisoner told police he was Clarence Stamps, 24, a soda dispenser, of 605 Clara avenue. An automatic pistol which he had carried was found to contain eight cartridges, substantiating his contention that none of the shots had been fired by him. He was treated at City Hospital for a skull injury.

Frye and Haubert were taken to Barnes Hospital.

Banker's Wife Robbed of $1600 in Rings, $60 in Cash.

Two diamond rings valued at $1600 and $60 in cash were taken from Mrs. Emma Reimann, wife of William Reimann, vice president of the South Side National Bank, by a man who held her up last night in front of her home at 7722 Shirley drive, Clayton, and drove away in her Stutz sedan. The machine was recovered in Brentwood.

Four women reported they were robbed by purse snatchers. They were: Mrs. Christina Krone, 3126 Vine Grove avenue, robbed of $7 in front of 4406 St. Louis avenue; Mrs. Florence Jenkins, 2620A North Sixteenth street, $12, in front of 1435 North Sixteenth street; Miss Blanche Clousen, 5104 Wilson avenue, $6, at Kingshighway and Southwest avenue; Miss Dana Alt, 2615 Gamble street, $1, in front of 1835 Biddle street.

Other holdups: Drug store of Israel Kleiman, 1026 North Whittier street, $96; confectionery, 4173 Delmar boulevard, $5; filling station, Garrison avenue and Olive street, $10; Benjamin Weitz, 5106 Kensington avenue, at Goodfellow boulevard and Cote Brilliante avenue, $15; Hughes Blake, 1914 Geyer avenue, in front of 2300 Benton street, $45; Sullivan D. Marsden, 6415 Alamo avenue, Clayton, $40 and a $225 watch and chain, near his home; Cletus Rasp, 2219 Joseph street, $31, at Tenth and Carroll streets; Piggly-Wiggly grocery, 4354 Manchester avenue, $27.

Theft at Steel Company Plant.

Seven electric drills and tools valued at $500 were stolen from the La Salle Steel Co., 3110 La Salle street.

A diamond valued at $1500 was found to be missing from a ring when Mrs. John Day of the Wiltshire Apartments, 725 Skinker boulevard, opened her jewel box yesterday. Day told police he had found the door of the apartment open when he returned home last Wednesday.

252-FOOT CROSS OF LIGHT

To Be Formed by Windows of Chicago Building.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Chicagoans tonight will see something—a cross of light 252 feet high and 135 feet wide. Each bar of this cross will be 46 feet thick.

The cross will extend from the sixth to the twenty-eighth floor of the Palmolive Building in Michigan avenue, and will be formed by turning on the lights in parts of the structure. The remainder of the building will be in darkness.

NEW SENATE VOTE ON POWER BOARD IS UP TO WALSH

Montanan, Indignant at Chairman's Dismissal of Two Employes, Weighs Move to Reconsider.

HIS PREVIOUS ACT GIVES THIS RIGHT

Calls Ousting 'Punishment of Two Devoted Servants for Faithful Discharge of Duties.'

By CHARLES G. ROSS,
Chief Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—It became clear today that when Congress reconvenes after the holidays the action of the reorganized Power Commission under the chairmanship of George Otis Smith, in summarily dismissing Solicitor Charles A. Russell and Chief Accountant William V. King, will be the subject of sharp criticism from the progressive group in the Senate.

Whether the progressives will content themselves with further calling attention to what they describe as "an indefensible" act or will go further and seek to bring about a reconsideration of the vote by which Smith was confirmed, has not been determined. Much will depend on the attitude of Senator Walsh (Dem.) of Montana, one of the leading constitutional authorities of the Senate, who, having voted for Smith, is eligible to make the motion for reconsideration.

Walsh told the Post-Dispatch today that he had not yet decided whether he would make such a motion. He indicated, however, that he was seriously thinking of so doing. The Senate rules provide that a motion to reconsider a nomination may be made within two legislative days after the confirmation. Smith was confirmed last Saturday by a vote of 38 to 22, after a vigorous fight led by Dill (Dem.) of Washington who maintained that the whole attitude of the nominee showed prejudice in favor of the private power interests. As the Senate adjourned at the end of the same session in which Smith was confirmed, there will be ample time for a motion to reconsider after the Senate comes back from the holiday recess.

Have Already Taken Oath.

Walsh said the fact that the power commission nominees had taken the oath of office did not negative the right of the Senate to reconsider confirmation. A motion to reconsider would carry with it a request to the President to return the names to the Senate for further action. It was Walsh's view that confirmation could not be regarded as complete till after the Senate had been given full opportunity to act under the two-day rule.

Smith's statement that Russell and King were fired along with F. E. Bonner, executive secretary of the old commission, because the new commissioners wanted to "restore harmony" drew expressions of indignation from Walsh and the other progressives. They declared that King and Russell had consistently been on the side of the public, while Bonner as consistently had ranged himself with the power interests.

"Bonner had already signified that he was leaving the Commission," Walsh pointed out. "Why then, was it necessary to fire two faithful public servants in order to 'restore harmony?' The commission has violated the fundamental ethics of good business.

Gives Two Examples.

"Suppose an auditor for a business firm had been constantly protesting against the padded expense accounts of a traveling salesman, would it then be good business to fire the auditor as well as the salesman? or suppose a member of a banking house had been found guilty of improper speculation, do you think that the officer who exposed the speculation ought to be dismissed along with the faithless officer in order to 'restore harmony.' By any test of good business the action of the commission is indefensible."

Walsh set forth his views yesterday in a bitter letter to Chairman Smith in which he said:

"I am unable to interpret this action in any light except as punishment of two devoted public servants for the faithful discharge of the duties that devolved upon them.

"So far as I have been able to learn, not a word has ever been uttered against either implying anything more than excessive zeal in safeguarding the interests of the public.

"It is a matter of profound regret to me that the confidence I hoped the country would have in

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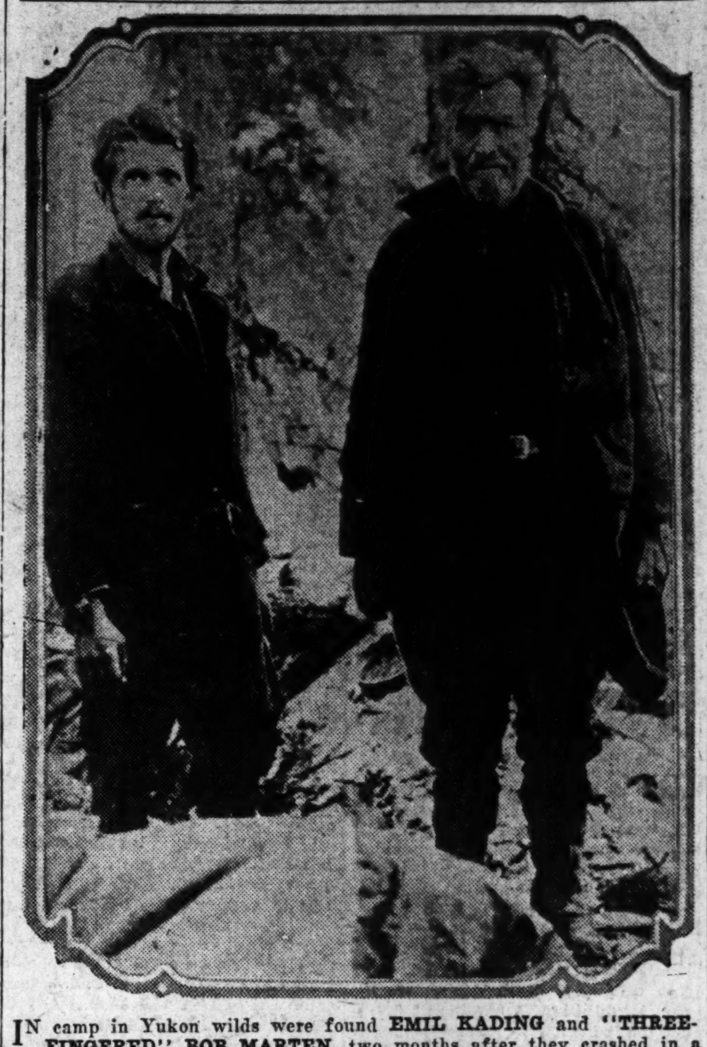
Saved by Plane in Frozen Alaska



IN camp in Yukon wilds were found **EMIL KADING** and **"THREE-FINGERED" BOB MARTEN**, two months after they crashed in a plane piloted by Capt. Paddy Burke, Canadian flyer. Burke died of injuries. Kading was his mechanic. Marten is a prospector. The camp was sighted from the air and the rescue was made by Pilots Everett Wasson and Joe Walsh. This photograph was taken after the rescue.

MINER ON WAY TO WORK KILLED FROM AMBUSH

Another Wounded When Truck Is Fired On Near Madisonville, Ky.

By the Associated Press.

MADISONVILLE, Ky., Dec. 24.—In an attack on a truck load of miners going to the Trio Coal Co. mine today, a Negro miner was killed and another wounded.

A group of men hidden in bushes by the roadside opened fire on a truck in which miners were being taken to work. Robert Springfield, 17 years old, was killed and Roger Samuels, 20, injured. The truck was turned back and the wounded Negro was brought to a hospital here. It is thought he will recover.

The mine is one of several operating under Federal injunction against violence to employes and property during the extensive labor trouble in Western Kentucky. It employs about 200 men.

Sheriff Charles E. Barnett and deputies got bloodhounds in an effort to trail the assailants.

WARMER TONIGHT; MAY BE LIGHT SNOW OR RAIN CHRISTMAS

THE TEMPERATURES.

1 a. m.	24	9 a. m.	20
2 a. m.	24	10 a. m.	33
3 a. m.	23	11 a. m.	37
4 a. m.	23	12 noon	30
5 a. m.	23	1 p. m.	41
6 a. m.	24	2 p. m.	*42
7 a. m.	24	3 p. m.	*43
8 a. m.	24	4 p. m.	*43

*Indicates street reading.

Yesterday's high, 34 (3:30 p. m.); low, 22 (6:30 a. m.).

THE MISTLETOE GOES OVER THE DOOR.
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POST-DISPATCH WEATHERBIRD

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair and warmer tonight; lowest temperature about 32; tomorrow unsettled, possibly light snow or rain; moderate temperature.

Missouri: Fair tonight, not quite so cold in east and south portions; tomorrow probably unsettled; slightly warmer in extreme southeast and slightly colder in northwest portion.

Illinois: Fair and not so cold tonight, tomorow becoming unsettled with snow or rain in extreme northwest portion; slightly warmer.

Sunset, 4:44; sunrise (tomorrow), 7:19.

Frost, Freezing in Florida.

By the Associated Press.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 24.—Freezing temperature and frost extended far into the central part of the State and to Tampa on the Gulf Coast last night. Jacksonville was the coldest place in the State last night. At a number of places on the outskirts of the city the mercury was down to 22 degrees and thin ice formed on open water. Orlando, Bartow and Eustis, in the heart of the cirtrus belt, reported 28 degrees. At Tampa it was 37 and at Miami, Fort Myers and Fort Pierce 38.

EARTHQUAKE KILLS 35 IN ARGENTINA

75 Injured in La Poma State—Town Reported Destroyed.

By the Associated Press.

SALTA, Argentina, Dec. 24.—Thirty-five persons were killed and 70 injured in an earthquake in the State of La Poma in Northwestern Argentina early today.

Fragmentary dispatches received here said the entire town of La Poma, which has about 1500 inhabitants, was destroyed.

The authorities here organized a relief expedition which left this morning. The quake was felt strongly in Salta and there was some panic among the inhabitants.

No Casualties Reported in San Antonio de Los Cobres.

By the Associated Press.

SAN ANTONIO DE LOS COBRES, Argentina, Dec. 24.—An earthquake lasting 8 seconds was felt here early this morning. It caused slight damage but no casualties were reported.

PAYMASTER SHOT, AID SLAIN IN $5000 HOLDUP AT FACTORY

Gatetender Fatally Wounded When He Resists Robber at New Haven, Conn.

By the Associated Press.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 24.—Joseph Ordazzo, 50 years old, gatetender of the Allingtown branch of the American Mills Co., was shot to death and Charles A. Kern Jr., paymaster, was seriously wounded today by a robber who escaped with the company's payroll, estimated at $5000.

The two men were about to alight from an automobile in the yard of the company with the payroll when the robber, brandishing a pistol, confronted them and demanded the money.

Ordazzo was shot down as he approached the man to resist his demand. Following the shooting, the robber escaped in Kern's automobile. Kern was wounded in the arm.

MUSSOLINI'S CHRISTMAS CHEER

He Distributes $26,315 to Needy of Italy.

By the Associated Press.

ROME, Dec. 24.—Premier Mussolini has distributed among Italy's needy half a million lire, or about $26,315 worth of Christmas cheer.

The fund was placed at his disposal by an anonymous industrial leader of Milan. The Premier turned over 250,000 lire for distribution by the Milan provincial federation for the aid of families likely to be dispossessed for nonpayment of rent; 100,000 for winter aid work carried on by Milan Fascists; 100,000 to help the poor redeem winter clothing from Milan pawnshops and 50,000 for general charity.

Firestone Footwear—easy to wear, but hard to wear out, for every member of the family—Reigns When It Rains—Adv.

NORRIS HITS AT PRESIDENT, DENOUNCING LUCAS ATTACK

Senator Declares Hoover "Willing to Lend Name to These Conspirators in Their Disreputable Method of Ruling Party."

WARFARE SPREADING; CURRAN DRAWN IN

Sending of Barroom Cartoon Into Nebraska Brings Statement Group Fighting Prohibition Spent Nothing in State.

By PAUL Y. ANDERSON,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The political tempest caused by the exposure of Robert H. Lucas' secret attempt to defeat Senator George W. Norris in the last election, and Lucas' subsequent efforts to read Norris out of the Republican party, raged with unmitigated violence today, increasing the prospects for an extra session of Congress, and giving color to talk of a third party movement in 1932.

An accumulation of evidence, all indicating that Lucas has the backing of the White House, resulted last night in the issuance of a sizzling statement by Norris, in which the Nebraska Senator charged President Hoover with being "willing to lend his name to these conspirators in their disreputable methods of controlling the party." Just prior to this, Representative Will R. Wood of Indiana, a Republican House leader and chairman of the Republican Congressional Campaign Committee, had emerged from a conference with President Hoover to declare that "Norris is neither a Republican nor a Democrat: he is a consummate demagogue."

"I was working for the upbuilding and purification of the Republican party when Mr. Hoover was a resident and voter of Great Britain," Norris retorted. "I expect to stay in this country, and I expect to oppose things which I think are detrimental to the public interest, regardless of any personal clique or any political party."

Representative Wood's statement that "too many people are masquerading as Republicans now," caused one veteran party leader to remark privately that, "if this keeps up Mr. Wood soon will have no reason to complain," and it drew from Senator Borah the blistering admonition: "Let those get out of the party who have disgraced it."

Lucas Returns to Fray.

Lucas returned to the fray this morning with a statement attempting to explain away the evidence that official funds of the Republican National Committee were pledged as security for the $4000 loan out of which Lucas purchased the Ku Klux Klan literature that he sent to Nebraska in his secret effort to defeat Norris. He admitted promising the bank that the party funds would not be withdrawn until the loan was paid, but still insisted that it was "a personal matter."

Regarding his failure to tell the Nye committee about the security when testifying about the loan last Saturday, the executive director of the National Committee said he was not asked the direct question, but added that subsequently he wrote a personal letter to Chairman Nye, giving him the facts. He added that his reason for trying to defeat Norris, aside from Norris' "bad Republicanism," arose out of the fact that "John J. Raskob and the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment was throwing thousands of dollars into the campaign."

To this Henry H. Curran, head of the association, today replied that the organization had not spent a single dollar in the Nebraska senatorial compaign, for the simple reason that both Senator Norris and his Democratic opponent, Gilbert M. Hitchcock, are confirmed drys. He pointed out, moreover, that the Nye Committee already has investigated the association's part in the campaign, and received an accounting of all its expenditures.

Cost of the Literature.

Lucas reiterated that the cost of the literature which he sent to Nebraska was $850, and that the remainder of the $4300 which he spent for printing at the plant of the Fellowship Forum here went for material that was shipped to

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RECEIVERS NAMED BY U. S. COURT FOR SEABOARD AIR LINE

Bill Filed at Norfolk, Va., Against 4500-Mile Railroad by the Bethlehem Steel Co.

ACTION BASED ON $234,481 DEBT

Gross Income for 12 Months Ending Oct. 31 Was $4,527,000 Below Preceding Similar Period.

By the Associated Press.

NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 24.—The Seaboard Air Line Railway Co., which operates 4500 miles in the South, went into receivership late yesterday. The railroad concurred in the statement of a creditor that it faced obligations it was unable to meet.

Federal Judge D. Lawrence Groner granted the application of the Bethlehem Steel Co. for the receivership and appointed Legh R. Powell, president of the railway since 1921, and Ethelbert W. Smith, vice president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, as receivers.

A statement by the railroad said the company failed to earn its fixed charges by approximately $4,250,000 in 1930, and therefore was unable to meet large approaching maturities.

The bill of complaint set forth that the railway had refused to pay a debt of $234,481 due the steel company. The total indebtedness of the railway company, the bill alleged, is now $215,695,301.

Failure to meet these obligations, the bill set forth, would make the railroad liable to foreclosure of mortgages and to dissipation of its properties.

The cause of the railroad's inability to meet its debts, the bill alleged, was a decline in its gross income which impaired its borrowing power.

Decline in Gross Income.

The bill alleges that the gross income of the railway during the 12 months ending Oct. 31, 1930, was $4,527,428 below that for the same period for the preceding 12 months.

Heavy interest payments are due early in the year, the bill charges, and the company is without means to pay it.

In its answer the railway company admitted every allegation in the bill of complaint, and joined in the prayer for the appointment of a receiver.

The Seaboard Air Line extends from Richmond, Va., to Miami, Fla., with many branches in the Southeastern states.

Drastic Reorganization Necessary, Says Company Statement.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. last night issued a statement saying:

"Since the designation on Nov. 7 of committees representing the various classes of the company securities and of Messrs. Dillon, Read & Co. and Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co., as readjustment managers, constant negotiations have been going on between the company, the managers and the committee looking toward a readjustment plan.

"Messrs. Coverdale & Colpitts and E. N. Brown, under the direction of the managers, have also been making an intensive study of the property and its financial requirements and these studies have indicated that the company will fail to earn its fixed charges in 1930 by approximately $4,250,000 and that a drastic reorganization, involving the foreclosure of mortgages, will be necessary. . . .

"The negotiations between the companies, the managers and the committees have advanced sufficiently to justify the hope that a definite plan of reorganization can be announced in the very near future."

Young Mellon to Enter Bank.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Paul Mellon, son of the Secretary of the Treasury, has given up the idea of becoming a publisher and will enter his father's bank in Pittsburg when he completes his education at Harvard University. Young Mellon, here on his Christmas vacation, said yesterday he had decided he should learn the banking business to be able to take over his father's immense interests when that step became necessary. He said he still was interested in writing, but felt duty called him to the banking business.

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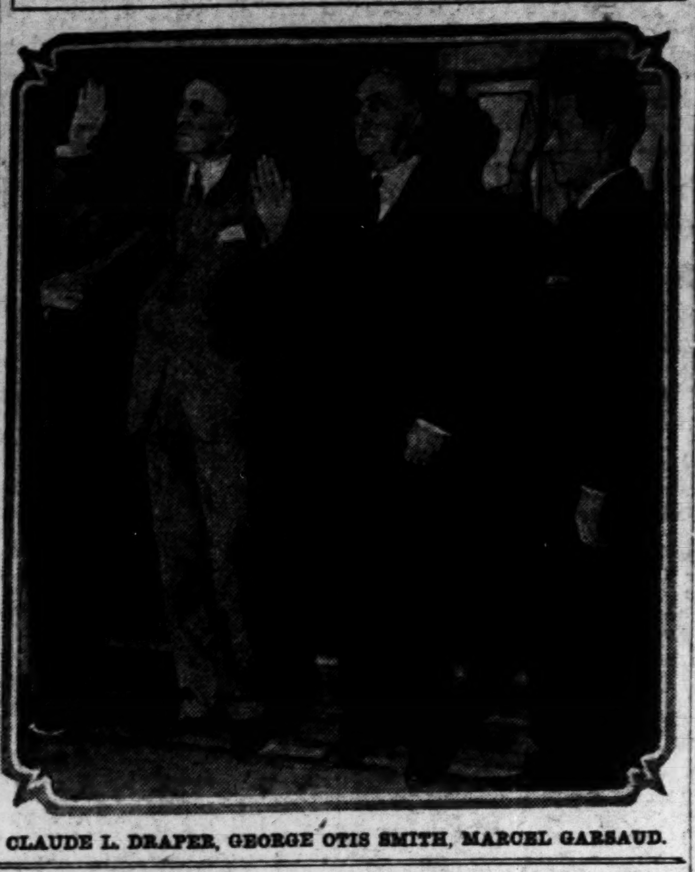

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NORRIS STRIKES AT HOOVER IN DENOUNCING "THESE CONSPIRATORS"

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other states. The principal item was a cartoon depicting a disreputable barroom scene. It was a standard item of klan propaganda, having been used in several campaigns, beginning with that against Al Smith in 1928.

"I undertook to offset the hurtful effect of the hundreds of thousands of dollars spent by Mr. Raskob and the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment," Lucas stated today. "The cartoons were used in states where Mr. Raskob and the association were spending thousands of dollars against our Republican candidates."

"Lucas," retorted Curran, "should look at his barroom cartoon in the light of that cheery little lyric, 'There's a serpent in the glass—dash it down,' before he makes another statement so symmetrically untrue as his latest. We did not spend a single dollar in the Nebraska campaign. In all the senatorial elections put together we spent the total sum of exactly $17,283.66, and no more. In all the congressional district elections we spent $11,080.17, and no more.

"I am beginning to wonder how much Lucas and (National Chairman) Fess are helping the Republican party. I have done a good deal of campaigning in my time, but the secret circulation of barroom cartoons is a new one on me."

"These Conspirators."

Representative Wood's angry declaration to newspaper men was made as he was leaving the President's office. He said that Lucas "has expressed the sentiments of every real Republican in the country," although he deprecated "the indirection" of his methods in attempting to defeat Norris. Replying, the Nebraska Senator said:

"The fact that Mr. Wood makes his outburst just after talking with the President is another indication that the President himself is willing to lend his name to these conspirators in their disreputable methods of controlling the party. The Republican party belongs to the rank and file. Representative Wood and Mr. Lucas, even though backed by Mr. Hoover, do not constitute the Republican party.

"I was fighting for the Republican party and its upbuilding and purification when Mr. Hoover was a resident and voter of Great Britain. The opposition to me, comes mostly, if not entirely, because I have refused to follow President Hoover when I thought he was wrong. His opposition to me is not because I am not a good Republican—that is subterfuge—but because I disagreed with him on farm relief and the preservation of natural resources.

"It is true that I have not agreed with him. He is likely to become a Democrat most any time. When he came to this country from Great Britain he became a Democrat and at once obtained a public office. He remained a Democrat until he secured a public office under a Republican administration and then he automatically became a Republican. I concede he has a right to change his politics as often as he changes office, if he wants to, but I haven't found it necessary to do that."

The fact that a man in Wood's position was willing to uphold conduct such as that in which Lucas had been caught, is another evidence, declared Norris, that certain powerful influences, especially the power interests, are temporarily in control of the party organization. It was shown in the Nye investigation that the effort to "get Norris" was backed by administration men and that a banker, connected with the Nebraska Power Co., also opposed him.

"Idea of Good Republican."

"Their idea of a good Republican is one who will sacrifice his convictions to cover up crime, dishonesty and debauchery, if they are committed by a Republican," the Senator declared. "Their opposition is another indication that I am right. I will never consent to qualify under their definition of 'a good Republican.'"

Wood's statement that, "if we are to have a party, it must be composed of real Republicans," was accepted by Progressives other than Norris as a command either to conform to the administration's idea of "good Republicanism" or get out of the party, but none of them manifested any disposition to heed it.

"Reading people out of the party is an idle gesture, no matter how highly placed the reader may be," remarked Borah. "I do not purpose to let the Lucases turn me in the direction they want me to go. Let him to get out of the party those who have disgraced it."

The belief gains ground that some very deep politics is being played here, and that the ultimate outcome may be a movement to "draft" Calvin Coolidge for the Republican presidential nomination in 1932. That impression was in no way discounted by a recent utterance in Mr. Coolidge's daily newspaper articles, construed here as an attack on the administration's policy of appropriating large sums to be used by the Federal Farm Board in stabilizing prices.

Lucas Not Thinking of Resigning, He Tells Homefolk.

By the Associated Press.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 24.—Robert H. Lucas, executive director of the Republican National Committee, whose testimony before the Senate Campaign Investigating Committee this week made him the storm center of a controversy between regular and independent Republicans, on coming home for the holidays today, was greeted by about 300 Louisville Republicans, with the cry, "We're for you, Bob!"

Lucas remarked: "I shall not permit it to be said that I have appealed to any religious prejudice without making an absolute denial." He said he was not considering resigning his party post. He plans to return to Washington the latter part of the week.

ST. LOUIS TO KEEP CHRISTMAS WITH HOLIDAY EVENTS

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be given to children who are patients at City Hospital tomorrow. Carol singing and other entertainments are planned for the day. All of the wards have been decorated with Christmas colors and a Christmas tree has been placed in the children's ward.

Dinner will be served for unemployed women tomorrow at 12:30 p. m. at the relief station of the Joint Council of Women's Auxiliaries of Labor Organizations, 3517 Pine street. The Women's Chamber of Commerce is co-operating.

Swedish National Society will hold its annual Christmas festival Saturday night at its headquarters, 1157 South Kingshighway.

Foristels to Entertain 1500.

A Christmas program will be given by children of the Lutheran Missouri School at Soulard Library, Seventh and Soulard streets, at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

Candy and oranges were given to about 2000 children by the Scruggs School Patrons' Association during an entertainment last night at Cleveland High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Foristel will entertain about 1500 children at their home, 4900 South Broadway, tonight. The children were invited through charitable organizations. Candy and clothing will be presented to each child and a rubber-tired "scooter" will be given to each family of children.

About 500 children, relatives of employes of First National Bank Club, were guests at a party given by the club at Alhambra Grotto last night. Each received a gift.

A pageant, "The Bringer of Gifts," will be given tonight at Missouri Pacific Hall, 3100 Chouteau avenue, by a cast from St. Mark's M. E. Church.

Yellow Cab Chauffeurs' Good Fellowship Club will distribute about 100 baskets of food tomorrow. Members of the club have donated $300 and the company has furnished five taxicabs which will be used to deliver the baskets.

Students of Missouri Business School, 2743 Cherokee street, delivered 150 baskets of food yesterday to needy families in the neighborhood. The food had been donated by merchants of the vicinity.

Fifty-two baskets of food were donated yesterday to Amity, an independent charitable organization at 916 Morgan street, which plans to distribute 1000 baskets for use tomorrow. J. P. Solven, director of the charity, said 225 baskets have not yet been obtained. Commonwealth Flour Mills, Inc., has agreed to supply a quantity of flour for each basket distributed by Amity.

REDISCOUNT RATE CUT TO 2 PCT. IN NEW YORK

Charge Announced by Federal Reserve Bank Is Lowest in World.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—A rediscount of 2 per cent—the lowest in the history of the Federal Reserve System and the lowest in the world—went into effect in the New York Federal Reserve Bank today.

The announcement that the rate at which members banks might borrow had been cut from 2½ per cent was construed by newspapers as a stimulus to business and a mark of confidence in the nation's condition.

Bankers were quoted as saying that the Federal Reserve Bank's action in inviting members banks to avail themselves freely of its credit was the most constructive move possible, in view of the widespread disturbances in the banking field.

In addition, Wall Street thought, the reduction would renew faith abroad in the strength of the New York money market. If the closing of two banks here had created distrust in the financial center, it was said, the Federal Reserve directors would have taken a different step.

Yesterday's reduction was the seventh since the break in the stock market in the fall of 1929, when the rate was 6 per cent. At the present time, the rate of the Bank of France is 2½ per cent and that of the Bank of England 3 per cent.

The rediscount rate has been out of line with the money market for several months as call money has frequently been available at 1 per cent and Federal funds as low as a fraction of 1 per cent. No change was ordered in the Federal Reserve buying rate on bankers' acceptances, now at 1⅞ per cent.

MAN LEAPED FROM FREE BRIDGE TWO WITNESSES TELL POLICE

East St. Louis Residents Report He Jumped From Center Span About Noon.

Two witnesses reported to police they had seen a well dressed middle-aged man jump from the center span of the Free Bridge into the Mississippi River shortly after noon today.

Mrs. J. W. Galvin, 723 North Thirty-third street, East St. Louis, reported the incident to East St. Louis police and St. Louis police were informed of it by Edward Halpin, 2234 Illinois avenue, East St. Louis.

NEW SENATE VOTE ON POWER BOARD IS UP TO WALSH

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the new commission, of which you have become the head, should be so early and so rudely disturbed. It seems to me a matter of no consequence whatever that difference had existed between the two gentlemen named and the executive secretary of the commission, who was widely charged with being unduly friendly to the privilege-seeking power interests. The only offense of the other gentlemen was that in devotion to the public interest they classed with him."

The Progressives are asserting also that Smith, in procuring the dismissal of Russell and King, acted with "indecent haste." Not only was this the first official act of the commission but it was performed when only three of the five members were present, Commissioners Williamson and McNinch not yet having been sworn in. Those who authorized the order of dismissal were Commissioners Smith, Garsaud and Draper.

MAJ. SHEPARD GREETED BY DENVER CROWDS

Surgeon Convicted of Wife Murder Returns to Hospital Work.

By the Associated Press.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 24.—Expressions of sympathy greeted Maj. Charles A. Shepard, convicted in Kansas City, Kan., of wife murder, as he returned to Denver today to report for duty at Fitzsimmons General Army Hospital.

Throngs swarmed about the army medical officer at the railroad station. Many persons grasped his hands and expressed confidence the Circuit Court of Appeals would reverse the verdict.

Maj. Shepard is at liberty under $25,000 bond to appear in Federal Court at Topeka, Kan., Feb. 2, for formal sentence to life imprisonment.

"I am innocent," Maj. Shepard said. "My fight for vindication has only begun. Without such wonderful sympathy and confidence, this ordeal would have been unbearable. But I feel good now and I know we will win."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 24.—Through the portals and in the lobby of Union Station last night, Maj. Charles A. Shepard received acclaim. It was a demonstration that moved the Major and sent him on his way back to Denver smiling and confident, almost jubilant, while awaiting action on his motion for a new trial in the case in which he was convicted of the poison murder of his wife.

"Just tell everyone how grateful I am for the fine treatment accorded me by the people of Kansas City, and also for the confidence they have shown in me," he said. "Tell them again that I am innocent and that I go away more certain than ever that justice will be done."

Maj. Shepard had been the center of a demonstration in the lobby of the Hotel Baltimore. There a crowd thronged about him, shouting encouragement and declarations of belief in his innocence and condemnations of the jury that convicted him.

In a few hours yesterday about $1000 had been subscribed to his defense fund. The contributions poured in so fast the Major and his attorneys disavowed handling it, and turned it over to a committee of citizens. The contributions ranged from $5 to $500. Apparently Kansas City became determined that his appeal should be financed, for the gifts were proffered long before there was any publicity about it.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. H. Burns of the Army Hospital's staff at Denver said Maj. Shepard's associates were steadfast in the belief he was innocent and would raise a fund to assist him in litigation for a new trial or appeal.

RECORD CHRISTMAS MAIL

New York and Chicago Postoffices Set One Day Mark.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—All time records in Postoffices throughout the country are being shattered in the deluge of first-class Christmas mail matter. If the aggregate equals last year—and indications are it will surpass it—the Christmas mails will have carried 1,670,000,000 letters; 20,000,000 packages and 17,000,000 post cards.

In Manhattan and the Bronx, 15,000,000 pieces of first-class mail were handled through the canceling machines Monday, while an equal amount was handled in Chicago. The previous record for one day in New York was 14,000,000 in 1928, while that of Chicago was 12,000,000 also in 1928.

Kills Himself Dumping Gravel.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Dec. 24.—Pulling the wrong lever, Clair Harsha, 34 years old, of Saybrook, was killed near there when a truck containing five tons of gravel which he was driving, emptied upon him.

EMBARGO ON WHEAT SUGGESTED BY LEGGE

Farm Board Chairman Offers Idea to Senate Group—Capper Interested.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—A temporary embargo on wheat has been suggested by Chairman Legge of the Farm Board to the Senate Agriculture Committee.

Legge said this would be "the most effective method" of dealing with importations of Canadian wheat which he feared might result if world prices decline further below domestic levels.

Senator Capper of Kansas, a Republican member of the committee, in making the letter public today, said in the event world prices slumped further and importations resulted he "would be glad to sponsor" legislation to that end. An embargo, in his opinion, could be obtained more quickly than an increase in the tariff on wheat, now 42 cents a bushel.

Before Congress reconvenes Jan. 5, Capper continued, he expects to confer further with Legge regarding the matter. Capper said he thought Legge was on "the right track." "There is a danger there," he added, "that we've got to take into account. We certainly do not want any importation of wheat."

In his letter of yesterday to Capper, Legge pointed out the Liverpool market had closed at 60⅝ as against a closing figure of 76 cents at Chicago.

The spread between Chicago and Winnipeg, he pointed out, is from 26 to 28 cents a bushel. Legge added that millers would pay a premium on the high quality Manitoba wheat and expressed the fear that "any further decrease in the market (Canadian or world) will probably result in wheat being imported from Canada."

"Probably the most effective method of dealing with this," the letter continued, "would be a temporary embargo on wheat imports which would seem justifiable in view of the fact that we will have a burdensome surplus without importing any."

The Senator pointed out that with Congress in recess there would be some time during which a more definite trend in prices would develop.

Since mid-November, when the Grain Stabilization Corporation stepped into the wheat pit determined to prevent any "further unwarranted declines" in domestic price levels, domestic prices have been above world parity.

George S. Milnor, general manager of the corporation, only recently reiterated in Chicago the corporation would maintain domestic old crop prices or at perhaps slightly higher levels.

Chairman McNary of the Senate Agriculture Committee said he had received a letter from Legge also, but had no comment.

FATHER OF MURDERER ALSO KILLED WIFE INQUEST SHOWS

First Tragedy in Eisenbarth Family in 1911; in Second Slayer Also Ended Own Life.

Andrew Eisenbarth, 52 years old, who killed his wife, Mary, 47, at their home, 4221 Gannett avenue, yesterday, and then killed himself, was the son of the late Andrew Alois Eisenbarth, who in 1911 killed his second wife with a hatchet at 3725 Oregon avenue. This fact was developed at the inquest today.

Oliver Eisenbarth, a son, testified that his grandfather killed his second wife. Newspaper accounts of the case state that Andrew Alois Eisenbarth killed his wife a month after their marriage because he decided she had married him for his money. He also seriously injured Mrs. George King, a friend of his wife's. Eisenbarth was acquitted of a charge of murder, and was committed to the City Sanitarium.

Oliver Eisenbarth and his sister, Minerva, 20 years old, expressed the opinion their father suffered a sudden spell of insanity. Miss Eisenbarth, an eyewitness of the tragedy, repeated the account she gave police, stating that her father became angry when the mother refused to stay home from work, seized a razor, and pursued his wife, who sought to escape.

A verdict of homicide and suicide was returned by Deputy Coroner Kerner, who heard the evidence.

ADVISES $40,000 PAYMENT BY INTERNATIONAL LIFE

Special Master in Receivership Approves Claim of Former Employe Under Contract.

A payment of $40,000 to Dr. J. H. Davis of Louisville, Ky., from the assets of the International Life Insurance Co. was recommended to Federal Judge Faris in a report filed yesterday by former Supreme Court Judge Conway Elder, special master in receivership.

Dr. Davis, former assistant medical director of the company, based his claim on the purchase of 12,500 shares of preferred stock of the company at $4 a share, in 1925, under a contract which provided that the shares would be redeemed when he left the position. The amount of the claim was reduced by $10,000, which he borrowed from the company in 1928.

LAW ENFORCEMENT GROUP RECESSES FOR CHRISTMAS

Commission to Reconvene Monday for Further Discussion of Report on Prohibition.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The Law Enforcement Commission recessed for Christmas late yesterday with many of the major decisions as to what its dry law report will recommend still undecided.

The commission will reconvene Monday and then will come the real showdown as to what the report will urge. All 11 members are expected to be present for the first time in weeks.

Previous to the session yesterday, the members had mapped out the course they intended to follow during the remainder of their deliberations on prohibition.

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4—FRENCH ROOM HATS, values up to $25.......................... $9.75
5—LAIRD SCHOBER SHOES, at...................... $9.85 and $11.85
6—REMNANTS of Wash Goods and Silks, good lengths for dresses...... 1/2 Off Present Reduced Prices
7—SPECIAL GROUP MEN'S ROGERS PEET SUITS, regularly $50 to $60................ $36.50
8—YOUTHS' NEW OVERCOATS, values up to $35. Sizes 11 to 20............. $16.95
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MAYOR IN FAVOR OF NEW COMPANY FOR NATURAL GAS

Says He Hopes Some Concern Other Than Laclede Will Seek Franchise for Domestic Sale.

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Pipe Line Supposed to Be Owned by Standard Oil of New Jersey and Electric Power and Light.

Mayor Miller would like for some company other than the Laclede Gas Light Co. to ask for a franchise to distribute natural gas to the homes of St. Louis, he said, in an interview with a Post-Dispatch reporter yesterday.

The Mayor was asked if he were interested in the possibilities of obtaining natural gas for household consumers and what, if anything, his administration proposed to do toward that end.

"I would like for St. Louis homes to have natural gas," Miller said. "I think it would be a great thing for the city. So far I have not done anything about it. I have been too busy with other problems. I have been hoping some other company with an ample supply of gas would come along and ask for a franchise."

Franchise Not Exclusive.

The Laclede company's franchise is not exclusive and the city has the power to grant other franchises or permits for gas service if it sees fit, or to provide its own gas system if the voters so elect.

Mayor Miller was asked if he had approached any company that might be interested in selling natural gas here or if any company had made a proposal to the city.

"No proposal has been made to the city," he said, "and I don't know whom to approach. The circle is too big."

He referred to holding company methods which sometimes make it difficult to reach and deal with the actual owners or managers of a public utility.

Ownership of Pipe Line.

A pipe line from Louisiana to St. Louis which is now selling natural gas to large industries in this area is owned by the Mississippi River Fuel Corporation, the ownership of which reposes in a series of holding companies, extending ultimately, it is understood, to Standard Oil of New Jersey and Electric Power & Light Corporation.

The pipe line has a capacity of 100,000,000 cubic feet of gas a day, and its maximum sales to industries have been far short of this. The unused capacity is several times the maximum daily consumption of manufactured gas in St. Louis.

Just why this company has not made natural gas available to homes in St. Louis has never been made clear. The local management says it is not authorized to speak on questions of company policy, and inquiries directed by the Post-Dispatch to Christy Payne of New York, president of the company, have not been answered.

Rate to Industries.

The natural gas is sold to industries here at prices varying according to load factors and quantity used, averaging probably around 15 cents a thousand cubic feet. Some large consumers get it as low as 13 cents.

The Post-Dispatch already has told how Laclede and the St. Louis County Gas Co. have the privilege of buying this gas at 40 cents, a rate which executives of those companies say is no less than the comparable cost of producing manufactured gas, and thus of no advantage to them. The pipe line owners have defended this price in a general way on the ground that the domestic load is much more costly to supply than the industrial because of the great fluctuation in demand.

Natural gas has a heat value of about 1000 British thermal units to the cubic foot, as compared with 500 for Laclede's manufactured gas. It is now being produced in vast quantities from deep wells in Oklahoma, Texas, Louisiana, Kansas and California. Some geologists think it may be found in large quantities in several other states, including Missouri and Arkansas.

Line Promised to Chicago.

A pipe line more than 1000 miles long from Texas to Chicago is now under construction, and the Insull interests, controlling the People's Gas Light and Coke Co. are promising natural gas to that city before the end of 1931.

A natural gas pipe line from Texas to Indianapolis will cross the Mississippi River at Louisiana, Mo., not far from St. Louis. It is being built by the Missouri-Kansas Pipe Line Co.

In cities where natural gas is available at comparatively low rates it is used extensively for house heating as well as in industries.

The price of natural gas at the wells in Oklahoma, Texas and Louisiana varies from 2 to 10 cents a thousand cubic feet.

New Portrait of the President

—Photo by Peter A. Jaley & Son, from the Associated Press.

WHICH was presented to Mr. Hoover yesterday by the artist, Pilides Costa. Costa painted this portrait and a copy for the Union League Club of Philadelphia. The President posed last July, Costa working in the White House for a week, the President posing whenever he had the opportunity.

5000 BASKETS OF FOOD FROM FESTIVAL' FUND

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heavens, and fairy snowflakes, taking pity on the child, cover her with a blanket of snow.

Not far away, in a lovely big house the little Rich Children are gathered for their Christmas eve fun. With shining faces upturned they gaze at their huge Christmas tree. Suddenly it is lighted and they are filled with joy. Then comes the opening of the mysterious packages left under the tree. Books, dolls, toys of every description. The Rich Children fondle them lovingly.

The Spirit of Christmas.

Unexpectedly a wondrous creature appears. It is the spirit of Christmas. She tells them of the little match girl sleeping beneath her blanket of snow. Moved by her story, the little Rich Children decide to give their toys to the poor child.

The spirit of Christmas beckons them to follow and they go to the sleeping little girl and spread their gifts about. Then, with the blessing of the Christmas spirit on them they steal away to their homes.

And now, Santa Claus, with his troop of merry dwarfs, passes by on his rounds of the night. They pause a moment to transfer the toys from the dwarfs' sacks to that of old Santa. Santa, seeing the gifts about the sleeping child, nods his head in approval. He awakens her and tells her that the gifts are for her. Her happiness knows no bounds.

She fingers each toy lovingly and as her tiny hands pass over them they come to life before her astonished eyes: Punch and Judy, fashion dolls, jumping jacks, boy dolls, a toy menagerie and tin soldiers. What a sight they are.

A Glad Christmas Day.

Now the little Rich Children return to take the little match girl home with them. Their kindness overcomes her shyness and the match girl, with all her toys, follows them home for a glad Christmas day.

"He who gives a child a treat
Makes joy-bells ring in Heaven's street."
—Masefield.

Another feature of the Christmas Festival is the distribution of pipes and tobacco to the city's homeless men. A committee will take these articles to the Municipal Lodging House and other places tonight.

Contributions acknowledged today bring the fund to $13,873.32. This is a little over half the amount which will be needed to meet the bills. Many thousands of nickels and dimes and quarters will have to come in after Christmas in order to pay the cost of the Festival. Donations of every size are welcome.

The largest list returned was that of the Shell Petroleum Corporation. Eight hundred of its employes gave $446. The second largest list came from the Missouri Pacific Railroad and accounted for $356.

Wage Earners and Fund.

Members of the executive committee are greatly gratified at the way wage earners are sharing in the extension of Christmas hospitality. The Christmas Festival merely provides a channel through which such generosity can flow all the way to those who need it most.

Students of the Missouri Business School, 2743 Cherokee street, and merchants in the vicinity, after giving out baskets to 150 families turned over $5.52, the surplus in their fund to the Christmas Festival. Five dollars were sent in from the Apple Sales Association, the organization assisting unemployed men in selling apples on street corners. Each donation was signed "a friend."

Use of the building at 901-3 Franklin avenue for the basket packing headquarters was donated by the Maria Kaiser estate through the John S. Blake Realty Co. The Laclede Gas Light Co. gave meter and current service at that address. The Fairbanks Morse Co. donated scale service.

Chief of Police Gerk has made arrangements for policemen under Capt. Goodin of the Traffic Division, to be at the Coliseum to handle the crowds of children attending the Festival.

The policemen have been instructed, Chief Gerk said, to permit only the 12,000 holders of tickets to form in the first lines. Other children will be weeded out of the line and will be taken care of after the ticket-holders.

PARTY IN WHITE HOUSE FOR CHILDREN TONIGHT

Dinner, Distribution of Presents and Carol Singing on Hoover's Program.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The dancing eyes of 12 children, Christmas carols, candle light and bells will feature one of the grandest Christmas eve parties ever planned by the Hoovers, big or little. There will be a huge Christmas tree in the spacious east room of the White House, many presents, music and a big dinner.

In the President's party to his grandchildren and the children of his secretaries and aids the big event has been placed last. Then, if all goes well, the President and Mrs. Hoover, flanked by Peggy Anne Hoover, Herbert III and the other children, bearing candles and bells, will parade upstairs and down through a darkened White House, singing Christmas carols.

Exactly a year ago a similar event had been planned. Just at dessert time, someone stepped quietly to the President's side to tell him the White House was on fire. The children's party ended by their watching the flames.

The Hoovers will begin their celebration even before the party, with Mrs. Hoover attending a mission house party and the President lighting a huge community tree outside the White House grounds. Still another celebration is planned for Christmas night, when the Cabinet members and their children are invited.

Mrs. Hoover has dressed three Christmas dolls in duplicate of costumes worn by her three little grandchildren, and some lucky little girls in Washington will receive them.

The President's wife carried four dolls which she dressed to the thrift shop, conducted for charity. Pinned to the white skirt of one of them was a card designating the names and signed by Mrs. Hoover.

The fourth doll, Carmencita, is quite the gayest of the lot. In dressing her Mrs. Hoover cast aside all her usual conservative tastes in colors. The idea started by Mrs. Hoover of dressing dolls like one's own children or grandchildren was taken up by many capital women. Mrs. Arthur O'Brien sent to the thrift shop an entire wedding party of dolls dressed in materials like those worn by Mrs. O'Brien's daughter and her bridesmaids.

HOTEL
MARK TWAIN
ST. LOUIS' NEWEST
8th & PINE

We Wish Everyone a Merry Christmas
and a Happy New Year

Dine Christmas Day at the Mark Twain
Dinner Served 11 A. M to 9 P. M.

VERSAILLES DINING ROOM
A treat for family or party served in the Versailles atmosphere of refinement.......... $1.25

STEAMBOAT CABIN COFFEE SHOP
A family course dinner in the original setting of the Steamboat.......... $1.00

TWO ARRAIGNED FOR PART IN BANK HOLDUP IN INDIANA

Walter Detrich, Former Convict of St. Louis, and William Long, Moberly, Mo., Held on Bond.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CLINTON, Ind., Dec. 24.—Walter Detrich, former convict, of St. Louis, and William Long of Moberly, Mo., were arraigned yesterday on charges of having robbed the Citizens' Bank here last week when four men were killed. Their bonds were set at $100,000 each and trial scheduled for Jan. 2.

Detrich and Long are the survivors of a band of five that held up the bank. The other three died in a field near Sidell, Ill., two of them ending their lives to avoid capture after one of the posse members had been killed.

Authorities decided to prosecute the men here for robbery rather than file murder charges in Illinois.

Detrich, 26 years old, is wanted in St. Louis for a $9300 payroll holdup at the Procter & Gamble Soap Co., 169 East Grand avenue, March 7, 1929; in Jefferson City for jumping a $25,000 bond, and in Los Angeles for holding up a theater company office. He was sentenced to the penitentiary here in 1923 for highway robbery.

After the soap company holdup, police received information that Detrich and Lawrence McBride were the robbers. McBride was arrested in California and sentenced to the penitentiary there for robbery.

According to dispatches from Denver, Long has been identified by photographs as one of several men who held up a Federal Reserve Bank truck in December, 1922, taking $200,000.

CITY TO CONSIDER CHANGE IN BRIDGE SPECIFICATIONS

Purpose Is to Give St. Louis Mills Better Chance in Bidding on Steel.

Although the city cannot eliminate outside competition with St. Louis steel fabricators in the bidding on the new East St. Louis Union Station rail approach of Municipal Bridge, it will consider changing the specifications to give the local industry a better chance to equal the price of large Eastern mills. A committee of St. Louis steel men will tell the city's engineers the kind of steel they recommend.

This was decided when representatives of St. Louis mills, led by Director Smith of the Industrial Bureau, called on President Kinsey of the Board of Public Service yesterday, hoping to find a way to have the contract kept at home. It was brought out that there would be latitude in the sizes to be required, so that local plants could bid on the sizes they customarily make.

Kinsey told the callers that it was necessary under the law to award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder, regardless of location, though the city would like to favor St. Louis industry. The erection contract will be separate, as it is thought local erectors can compete with others for that work.

Kinsey pointed out that it was held to be illegal to specify that the fabricator buy materials locally. Bids probably will be received about Feb. 1.

MAN REPORTED TO BE DEAD IS FOUND ALIVE BY POLICE

James Gibbs Arrested With Stolen Goods After Attorney Produced Death Certificate.

Through fingerprints, a man thought by the Chicago police to be dead, was found to be alive and a fugitive from Louisville, Ky., Chicago and San Francisco.

He is James Gibbs, 35 years old, who is held in the city jail under a warrant charging grand larceny. Gibbs jumped bond in Chicago and when his bondsman was being pressed for payment, the Chicago police wrote, a lawyer for the bondsman produced in court a death certificate signed by a physician which asserted that Gibbs was dead. Upon this showing the case against the bondsman was abated.

Gibbs was arrested last Wednesday by detectives who saw him carrying three suits of clothes. He said a woman had given them to him to sell, but officers of the Boyd-Richardson Clothing Co. identified them as articles stolen from the store.

Gibbs jumped bonds in Louisville and San Francisco after being arrested there, the Chicago police said.

WHERE MEN RISK LIVES DELIVERING CHRISTMAS MAIL

Postoffice Lists Perilous Winter Routes in Alaska, Oregon and Wisconsin.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The Postoffice Department each year makes elaborate plans for reaching the most remote sections with Christmas mail by Christmas day. It has listed some of the more hazardous routes over which holiday packages and cards are carried.

The longest was from Kotzebue to Point Barrow, Alaska, 650 miles. The mail was started a month ago in order to make possible its delivery by Christmas. The Alaskan mail man often drives reindeer.

Difficult routes described by the department follow: Newport to Otter Rock, Ore., carrier is obliged to travel along the beach at low tide. If, for some reason, the incoming tide catches him before he completes his trip, he must either abandon his team and the mail and climb the rocks or be dashed to pieces against them.

Ellison Bay to Detroit Harbor, Wis., carrier has to cross Death's Door passage. Its ice bridge is speedily disintegrated by shifting gales and currents. Sometimes this breakup occurrs so suddenly the carrier is caught on the ice with his horse, sleigh and mail. He must then resort to his motor launch, moored inside the edge of heavy ice and cut a way to open water.

Rocky Bar to Atlanta, Idaho, carriers travel on snowshoes, packing 50 pounds of mail with an increased load for Christmas. Not infrequently, carriers on this route have been caught on snowslides and swept to instant death.

MAN AND WIFE FOUND DEAD

Pair Swallowed Poison by Mistake, Open Bottle Indicates.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—A book salesman and his wife, employed at a college, were found dead today in their Bronx apartment. The couple, Joseph and Calara Wymbs, were last seen Saturday. Police believed the pair had been dead two or three days. Mrs. Wymbs, employed at New York University, was 45 years old. Her husband was five years younger.

Wymbs apparently was stricken as he was addressing Christmas cards, for writing materials and a pile of cards were found near his body. An open bottle containing a cathartic indicated the two had swallowed poison by mistake and then tried to relieve their pain.

CONGRESSMAN WEDS FORMER WAITRESS

Charles B. Timberlake, 75, and Bride, 32, to Spend Honeymoon in Florida.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Congressman Charles B. Timberlake of Colorado and Mrs. Roberta Wood Elliott, a widowed former waitress, were married last night at a simple ceremony.

The Rev. Dr. James Shera Montgomery, the House chaplain, had to wait for them while the 32-year-old bride talked to wise-cracking news photographers, but she remarked it did not matter.

"We want to be late," the bride explained. "We wouldn't be fashionable if we weren't." The bridegroom is 75 years old.

The wedding gown was white crepe, sleeveless, studded with sequins. Her wedding gift was a long rope of pearls, and she wore a diamond-studded wrist watch over white gloves.

The bride was asked for details of the romance.

"Oh, you mean how long has this been going on?" she returned. "About four months."

The bridal party included Mrs. Louise Hill, sister of Mrs. Elliott; Glenn O. Hiatt, the Representative's secretary, and many women who had worked with Mrs. Eliott at the Census Bureau where she had been employed recently.

The honeymoon trail led to North Carolina, the bride's home, for a visit with her parents, before a cruise in Southern waters during the holidays. They will return about Jan. 6. Her 9-year-old daughter will live with them, later, at an exclusive hotel.

Timberlake is wealthy.

MRS. J. R. CURLEE DIES AT 65

Mrs. J. R. Curlee, wife of the former vice president of Carleton Dry Goods Co., died of pneumonia following a long illness last night at St. Luke's Hospital.

The funeral will be held at 2 p. m. Friday at the residence, 300 South Sappington road, Kirkwood, with interment in Oak Hill Cemetery. Mrs. Curlee, who was 65 years old, is survived by her husband, a son, two daughters, three brothers and a sister.

Torchin-Volin Loan Co. Receiver.

Joseph Bain, secretary of the Torchin-Volin Loan Co., was appointed receiver for the company yesterday by Circuit Judge Pearcy. The appointment was by consent and was made on petition of a stockholder, I. Gellman, who declared the business has been operating at a loss.

T. F. PIERCE'S WILL IGNORES HIS WIDOW

Son of St. Louis Oil Man Leaves $300,000 Estate to New York Woman.

By the Associated Press.

NE WYORK, Dec. 24.—Ignoring his widow, Theron F. Pierce of New York, who died in Reno, Nev., Nov. 14, left his estate of about $300,000 to Ruth M. Gates of New York. His will was filed for Probate today.

Pierce was one of two sons of the late Henry Clay Pierce of St. Louis, of the Waters-Pierce Oil Co. His widow is the former Louise Falconer of Tuxedo, N. Y., a sister of Lady Torphichen of Scotland.

The will said Pierce's address for the last two years before his death had been Pride's Crossing, Mass., and his wife's address Tuxedo, N. Y. The former Miss Falconer was Pierce's second wife. He was married to her in 1920 after the death of his first wife, the former May Deering of New York. Pierce was the last of four children of Henry Clay Pierce and shared in a million-dollar estate.

KILLS SELF IN HOTEL ROOM

A man who registered as "J. Miller, City," shot and killed himself in a room at the American Hotel last night. The body, with a wound in the head and a pistol in one hand, was found by a hotel employe at 9 o'clock.

The man registered at the hotel on Monday, paying in advance for a room. He was about 65 years old, 5 feet 7 inches tall, weighing 140 pounds and was bald. His suit bore a Chicago tailor's mark and the name, "T. Newbauer." The body is at the morgue.

POLICEMAN KILLED IN HOLDUP

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 24.—Policeman Ernest Grillot was shot and fatally wounded here today as he frustrated an attempt by two men to hold up the Rochblave branch of the Canal Bank & Trust Co. One of the robbers was knocked down by a customer in the bank and held until police arrived. The other robber escaped.

Previously four men held up the Dryades street branch of the Hibernia Bank and escaped with $3500.

Gets Husband Out for Christmas.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Daniel S. Beebe, jailed because he was $24,800 behind in his alimony payments, will spend Christmas at home through the efforts of his second wife. The present Mrs. Beebe appeared before Superior Judge John J. Sullivan today with $200 for the first wife.

J. FRANK MAYS OF GRAND NATIONAL DIES

Vault Custodian, Brother of Bank President, Stricken in Restaurant—53 Years Old.

Frank Mays, custodian of the Grand National Bank safe deposit vault, and brother of Ed Mays, president of the bank, died suddenly in a restaurant at 317 North Grand boulevard, at noon today. He was 53 years old and apparently was in good health a few moments before death.

Witnesses said he had been eating and jumped up from the table, apparently choking, rushed to the door and collapsed on the sidewalk. Nearby physicians were summoned and an inhalator was used in a vain effort to revive him. Cause of death will not be determined until tomorrow, when an autopsy will be performed.

Mr. Mays, who had been employed at the bank for several years, was made custodian of the safe deposit vault last summer when the depository moved into its new quarters, shortly after the vault in the old bank had been robbed of currency, jewelry and securities with an aggregate valuation of approximately $1,000,000. The previous custodian, William A. Brittin, was discharged.

He is survived by his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Shula Martin and Miss Lavada Mays, and three sons, Armond, a teller at the bank, and Arlie and William, who work in the bank's investment department. With his family he attended a Christmas party last night given for employes of the bank and the Continental Life Insurance Co., of which Ed Mays also is president.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed, but the funeral, relatives expect, will be held in Mr. Mays' former home, Gilbert, Ark.

RECEIVERS ARE APPOINTED FOR W. H. LAMPE SHOE CO.

Holland R. Polak and John W. Barker were appointed co-receivers of the W. H. Lampe Shoe Co., 4060 Forest Park avenue, by Circuit Judge Pearcy today after William H. Lampe, president, admitted the allegations in a suit for a receiver filed yesterday by George P. Bomar, a stockholder.

Bomar alleged that the company is insolvent and that a deficit of $88,640 had accumulated since the last audit, according to a tentative balance sheet. He said there are 800 shares of preferred stock outstanding and 1681 shares of common, all of a par value of $100. He holds 30 shares of common stock.

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Tardy Mr. Gobble-Gobble
taken from "life"

"the early bird catches the worm"

watch our "funny" windows for an event of great importance which begins the day after Christmas . . . early!

Woolf Brothers
OLIVE AT EIGHTH
the store with the "funny" windows

SAVAGE NEGRO BURNED DAUGHTERS TO DEATH

Story of Fantastic Cruelty Disclosed by Arrest of "Chief" Near Whitlin, Ga.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 24— [illegible]

CROWDS MOTOR TO BETHLEHEM FOR OBSERVANCE OF CHRISTMAS

[illegible]

BETHLEHEM, Palestine, Dec. 24— [illegible]

DR. J. DIEKEMA FUNERAL SERVICES HELD AT HAGUE

Royalty and Diplomatic Corps Pay Tribute to U. S. Minister to Holland.

THE HAGUE, Dec. 24— [illegible]

MO.-PAC. DROPS CELEBRATION; TO AID FORMER EMPLOYES

Contributes $3000 for Relief and Employes Give Percentage of Wages.

[illegible]

500 TO ATTEND CONVENTION OF MUSIC TEACHERS IN CITY

[illegible]

COMMUNISTS RIOT IN BERLIN

Police Disperse Shouting Groups [illegible]

BERLIN, Dec. 24— [illegible]

BACH ON THE RADIO SUNDAY

Frederick Fischer to Direct St. Louis Symphony Program.

[illegible]

Oberlin Glee Club Will Sing Here.

[illegible]

Delay in [illegible] Law Test Case.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 24— [illegible]

INVENTORS WILL AID HEALTH, EDISON SAYS

Predicts Chemists and Biologists Will Make Great Discoveries of Future.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24—Thomas A. Edison [illegible]

$100,000 for Fine Arts Project.

IOWA CITY, Ia., Dec. 24— [illegible]

CASUAL KICK TURNS UP THIEVES' $15,000 LOOT

Chicago Policeman Discovers Securities Stolen in Bank Robberies.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24— [illegible]

CHAPPED SKIN
made soft and white
MENTHOLATUM
heal it fast

The SEASON'S GREETINGS
To Our Many Friends
KRUSE & CO.
WATCHMAKERS
[illegible] ARCADE BLDG.
CHestnut [illegible]

You are Cordially Invited To
Eat, Drink and Be Merry
Attend the Opening Xmas Nigh
The New, Magnificent
PALAIS D'Or
Owned and Operated by the Stacy Bros. as a High-Class Night Club and Restau
FRanklin 7518 3561 Olive St. FRanklin 7518
Dinner Served Christmas Night 6 to 9 O'Clock
Elaborate Floor Show Nightly
FEATURING
BILLY THOMAS, Master of Ceremonies
MOSS & MANNING, Direct from New York
MARJORIE LITTLE, Novelty Dancer
BOBBY ROLLING, Radio Personality Girl
REID & MAE, Acrobatic Artists
and the Hottest Southern Columbia-Brunswick Recording Orchestra
"THE ORIGINAL NEW ORLEANS FROLICKERS"
NO COVER CHARGE
Business Men's Lunch Served 11 A. M. to 2:30 P. M., 50c
Dinner 5 P. M. to 9 P. M., $1 & $1.50 After 9 P. M. Night Club
The Firms Listed Below Are Supplying Quality Merchandise
[illegible]

Stix, Baer & Fuller ◆ Downstairs Store
STORE CLOSED THURSDAY . . . THESE GREAT VALUES FOR FRIDAY
After-Christmas Sale of
DRESSES
$6.95
800 Brand-New . . . Shown for the First Time Friday!
Just think, brand-new Frocks . . . smartest fashions . . . complete size and style range at After-Christmas Sale savings. Styles for every occasion . . . for every type of woman. CHIFFONS . . . PRINTS . . . CANTONS with long graceful skirts . . . long, short or three-quarter sleeves . . . newest neck details. Of course there are 800 Frocks, but you'll want to be among the first to make selection, so we suggest that you be here when the sale starts at 9 o'clock Friday morning.
Juniors', Misses', Women's and Larger Women's Sizes

With So Much Cold Weather Ahead of Us, You'll Get Plenty of Wear from a New Coat Selected in the After-Christmas Sale of
COATS
A group of Stunning Coats in smartest styles, fabrics and fur trimmings. For misses and women. Greatly reduced to $16, $22, $33
Chinchilla Cloth Coats and Coat Sets, navy blue; flannel or suede fabric lined; for misses and women. Reduced to . . . . . $6.85 and $12.85
Women's $3.95 Jersey Raincoats; gray, tan, blue or brown; sizes 12 to 46, offered in After-Christmas Sale at $2.95
A group of 53 of the Better Coats are offered at ½ off marked prices.
Coats for larger women are greatly reduced to . . . . . $16, $22 and $32

After-Christmas DISCOUNT SALES!
Bring Hundreds of Reductions
1/4 1/3 1/2
Nearly every department offers drastic price cuts on broken lines and odd lots . . . tremendous values at rare savings . . . Limited quantities — so the early shoppers get the outstanding bargains.

Men! [illegible] of the Season
TIE SALE
$1 & $1.50 GRADES 50c
Here are values you won't overlook . . . an extraordinary purchase of the better Ties amazingly low priced. EVERY ONE BRAND-NEW, shown for the first time Friday. Hundreds of patterns — stripes, checks, fancy dots and allover effects. Most gorgeous colorings. Thread silk and silk-and-rayon mixed. Four-in-hand style . . . wool lined. Don't forget, sale begins 9 o'clock Friday morning.

Girls' Chinchilla Coat Sets $4.99 [illegible]
Silk Dresses Reduced $4.88 [illegible]
$9 & $12.95 Velvet Dresses $7.88 [illegible]
$3.95 Dress Comfort Shoes $2.48 [illegible]
Women's $1.29 Grade Arctics 69c [illegible]
Women's & Men's Robes Reduced 1/4 [illegible]

STIX,
Friday's Shop
Buy Friday Pay in February
All charge purchases made Friday or the remainder of the month will be posted on the January statements—payable in February. Take advantage of these unusual values—profit by the savings you will make.
Toys Reduced
Floor Samples and Slightly Soiled
50%
Soiled Dolls
Dolls' Clothing
Games
Blocks
Stuffed Animals
Books
Paint Sets
Doll Furniture
Sand Toys
Mechanical Toys
Christmas Trees and Ornaments
33⅓%
Doll Houses
Kiddies' Furniture
Blackboards
Desks
Many Other Toys
25%
Velocipedes
Wagons
Speedbikes
Scooters
Doll Carriages
Electric Trains
Train Accessories
Automobiles
Billiard Tables
(Fifth Floor)
Sporting Goods Reduced
25%
Sheep-Lined Coats
Leather Coats
Auto Robes
Ice Skates
Boxing Gloves
Billiard Tables
Sweaters, (soiled)
Striking Bags
Footballs, Etc.
(Sporting Goods—Fourth Floor.)

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Drink and Be Merry

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9 P. M., $1 & $1.50
P. M. Night Club

e Supplying Quality Merchandise
CARLSTROM CHEESE CO.
510 N. 2D
Kraft Cheese, Tasty Snack Sauce, Kitchen Fresh Mayonnaise.
WALTER FREUND BREAD CO.
4479 CHOUTEAU
Old Tyme Rye and Other Popular Breads.

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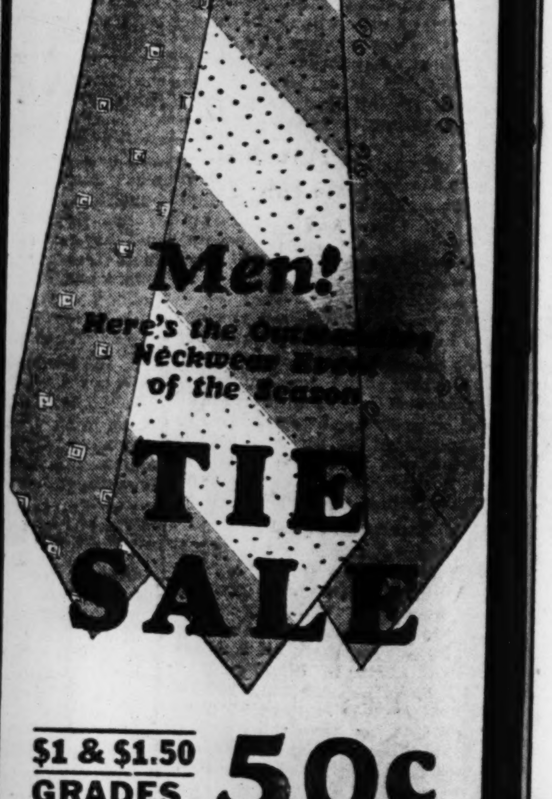
LUES FOR FRIDAY
Sale of



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Women's
$1.29 Grade
Arctics
69c

If you wear size 3, 3½ or 4, wonderful values are yours. Cloth Arctics with cuff. Shop early.

Women's & Men's Robes Reduced
¼

Select a handsome Robe at this substantial reduction. Various kinds for men and women. Not every size in every style.

See Our Other Announcement on Opposite Page

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GRAND-LEADER

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Games
Blocks
Stuffed Animals
Books
Paint Sets
Doll Furniture
Sand Toys
Mechanical Toys
Christmas Trees and Ornaments

33⅓%

Doll Houses
Kiddies' Furniture
Blackboards
Desks
Many Other Toys

25%

Velocipedes
Wagons
Speedbikes
Scooters
Doll Carriages
Electric Trains
Train Accessories
Automobiles
Billiard Tables
(Fifth Floor.)

Sporting Goods Reduced

25%

Sheep-Lined Coats
Leather Coats
Auto Robes
Ice Skates
Boxing Gloves
Billiard Tables
Sweaters, (soiled)
Striking Bags
Footballs, Etc.
(Sporting Goods—Fourth Floor.)

Laird-Schober—Copley and Corinne Shoes Reduced!

Our Most Exclusive Models—Grouped at Unusually Low Prices in the After-Christmas Sale. Selections Limited—Make Yours Early!

Fine Shoes for Every Occasion at Great Reductions!
Just six of the Many Styles in the Sale Are Sketched

$12.75

Laird-Schober and Copley Footwear in This Group

244 Pairs Laird-Schober Shoes, reg. $18.50, $12.75
104 Pairs Laird-Schober Shoes, reg. $16.50, $12.75
202 Pairs Copley Shoes, regularly $16.50, $12.75

$9.75
Corinne Footwear

A wide range of smartest leathers and colors. 1052 pairs formerly $12.50. 310 pairs formerly $13.50.

$7.75
Corinne Footwear

Straps, pumps, Oxfords and evening slippers. 642 pairs formerly $12.50; 1258 pairs formerly $10.00.

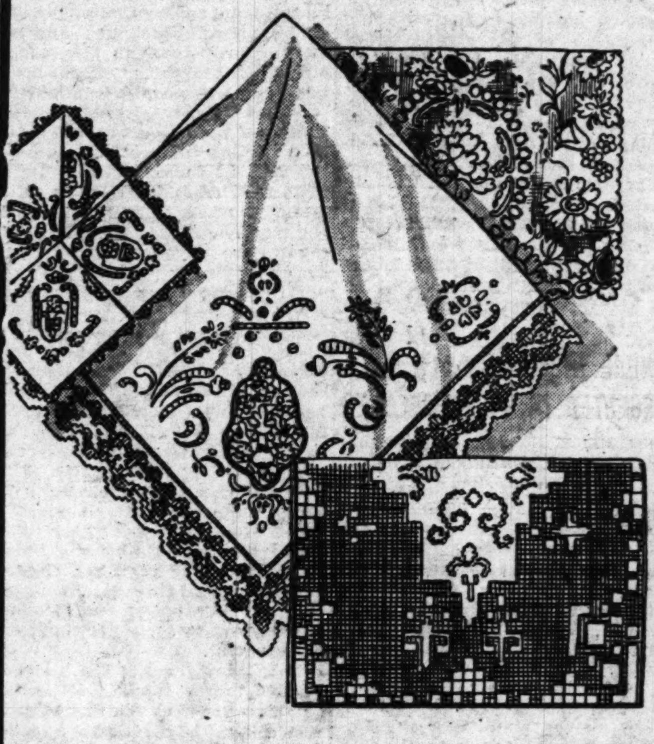
Although All Sizes Are Not Represented in Each Style—Every Size Will Be Found in Every Price Group
(Second Floor.)

Misses' and Junior Girls' Footwear

Three Prices Which Literally Mean Savings of Dollars! Oxfords, Straps, Pumps and High Shoes!

Sizes 5½ to 11, priced at..........$2.65
Sizes 11½ to 2, priced at..........$3.45
Sizes 2½ to 8, priced at..........$3.95
(Second Floor.)

After-Christmas Sale of Linens



Cutwork and Venise Table Sets Reduced

1/4

Just 18 Sets at this rare reduction, all elaborately embroidered on Irish linen of fine quality, and finished with handmade filet lace. Slightly mussed from handling but otherwise perfect.

14 72x108 Cloths with 12x18 napkins, now. $44.97
4 72x90 Cloths with 12x18 napkins, now... $37.47

Luncheon and Dinner Sets

Made of lustrous rayon in lovely colorings. Sizes from 54x54 to 58x80, originally priced $6.98 and higher, now.......... ½

Fancy Linens Are Reduced

Slightly soiled from display. Scarfs, doilies, bridge sets, napkins, luncheon sets, towels, spreads; many types, reduced........ ½

Lace Scarfs and Doilies

From Italy, Germany and Belgium; including Filet, Venise, De Ruta and Spirito; also linen centers with edges; reduced .... ⅓

Shamrock Linens

Fine double damask pattern cloths and napkins from well-known makers; cloths to 5 yards in length; reduced .... ⅓
(Second Floor.)

Millinery Reduced!

All Winter Fashions Are Now at Savings of

1/2
AND MORE

Every remaining Winter Hat from our French Room, now reduced to ...... $7.50 and $10.00
214 Hats Formerly $10.00..........Now $5.00
108 Hats Formerly $7.50..........Now $3.75
179 Hats Formerly $5.00..........Now $2.50
A Special Group Reduced to $1.00
(Third Floor.)

WETS URGE GENERAL STATE REDISTRICTING

Cochran of St. Louis to Appeal for Action to Prevent Elections at Large.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Wets in Congress are seeking Congressional redistricting of every state affected by the new apportionment, in the belief that elections of additional members from at large would cheat them of reinforcements.

Congressman Cochran, Democrat, St. Louis, said today he would use the House as a forum to amplify a plea he is preparing to make shortly after Congress reassembles. The redistricting must be done by each state.

"I mean to put the country on notice," Cochran said, "that the new representation will be unfair to the populous centers if the delegations are elected at large."

In each of 22 states which lose representation under the new census, effective with the Seventy-third Congress, the entire delegation will have to be elected at large unless redistricting is completed in time, likewise in 11 states gaining representation.

Face Loss in Rural Areas.

The wets hold that their expected gains in rapidly growing cities would be reduced by dry tendencies of rural sections which have not gained population.

Cochran said 59 per cent of the population of the country is urban, but 268 of the 435 Congressmen now come from rural sections—districts in which a majority of the votes are in communities of less than 3000.

It is unlikely Congress will act at this session on any aspect of the reapportionment question. A resolution by Congressman Hoch (Rep.) of Kansas, pending before a committee, would alter the Census Bureau's plan of reapportionment, but is not expected to succeed. Unless action is taken by March 4, the census reapportionment becomes effective.

Congresman Sproul, militant dry leader of Kansas, said he had no doubt that redistricting will be carried out by the states immediately after March 4.

Says Drys Were Asleep.

"The drys were asleep," Sproul added, "when they passed the reapportionment bill. They voted for it when they should have opposed it. An amendment could have been effected to provide enumeration on the basis of citizenship."

Cochran said Missouri would lose three of its 16 Congressmen under the new apportionment; but that if the remainder were fairly redistricted, "the wet, urban population would get six, and the dry rural inhabitants seven."

"Yet, if our present delegation voted on prohibitoin tomorrow," he added, the division would be four against, 12 for."

Because many states have failed to redistrict for years, some Congressmen actually speak for as many as 1,600,000 voters, while others fall far short of the calculated 288,000 constituents.

DRIVER INDICTED IN KILLING OF MAN BY AUTO ON DEC. 5

Robert Brand Accused of Manslaughter in Death of Daniel O. Chapin.

Robert Brand, 20 years old, of Cuba, Mo., was indicted by the St. Louis grand jury yesterday on a charge of manslaughter and leaving the scene of an accident. He drove an automobile which killed Daniel O. Chapin, a carpenter, on Dec. 5.

Tracing the license number of the machine, police learned that Brand had borrowed the car from Miss Truella Johnson of Sherman, Mo., who was visiting friends in St. Louis. Miss Johnson quoted Brand as saying he "thought he hit someone" when he returned the car. Brand was arrested at his parents' home in Cuba.

Chapin, who was 68 years old and resided at 3112 St. Vincent avenue, was hit while crossing the street in front of 3009 Park avenue.

After returning the indictment the grand jury adjourned for the Christmas holidays until Jan. 6.

De Forest Name Suit Settled.

By the Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 24.—A compromise settlement on the use of the name "De Forest" in the manufacture and sale of radios was approved in Federal Court here yesterday. The De Forest Radio Co. of New Jersey had sued the Lee De Forest Manufacturing Co. of Los Angeles. Now, under the agreement, the Los Angeles company cannot use the name "De Forest" on its product unless specifically designating them as not produced by the original De Forest company. The complaint said Lee de Forest, inventor, received $3,-[illegible] for his interest in the New Jersey comany.

Hoover Writes Pair Wed 60 Years.

By the Associated Press.

HIGH POINT, N. C., Dec. 24.—The sixtieth wedding anniversary yesterday of the Harrison Bodenheimers was made memorable by the fact that President Herbert Hoover and Gov. C. Max Gardner each sent congratulations. Bodenheimer, 83-year-old Civil War veteran, and Mrs. Bodenheimer, 80, have five children, 22 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren. The family will gather tomorrow to celebrate. Bodenheimer takes pride in the fact that he has voted the national Republican ticket 16 successive times.

LINDELL BUILDING LINE PROPOSAL IS OPPOSED

Compromise Plan Discussed at Meeting of Property Owners With City Official.

Property owners on Lindell boulevard, numbering about 50, who attended a meeting of the Lindell Boulevard Property Owners' Association last night at 4035 Lindell, expressed themselves generally as opposing the present plan for establishment of a building line on Lindell. The city has condemnation commissioners working on a scheme to maintain the line either 25 or 30 feet back of the property line, between Grand boulevard and Kingshighway.

Only four buildings encroach on the proposed line—two apartment houses and two automobile establishments. Associate City Counselor McKittrick, who attended the meeting, said elimination of the apartments from the plan was under consideration and would save much of the present estimate of $500,000 to $600,000 damages.

Lewis H. Phillips, a lawyer, 4014 Lindell, president of the association, said with this change "the building line idea would be satisfactory, but that the city as a whole should pay the damages rather than assessing them against benefited property in the vicinity of Lindell, where various other benefit levies have made inroads on taxpayers. The association will send representatives to confer with the condemnation commissioners. Elimination of the apartments would require passage of a new ordinance by the Board of Aldermen.

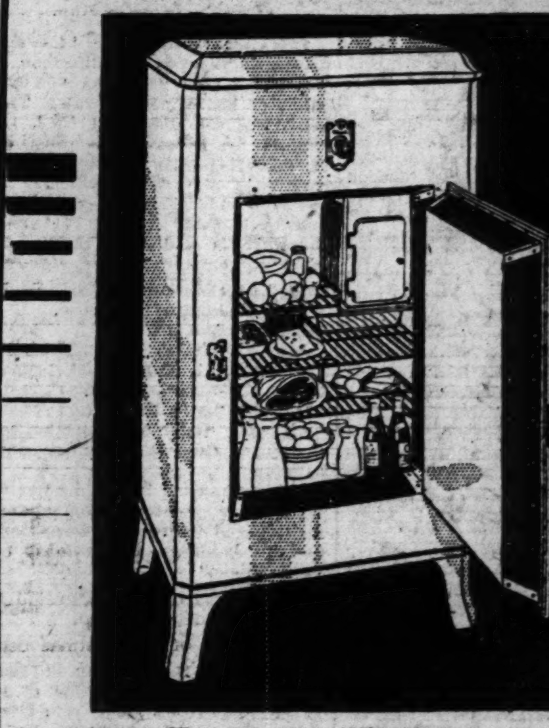
Phillips announced that a petition from property owners in the double block of Lindell, between Vandeventer avenue and Sarah street, would be filed with the Board of Aldermen soon, requesting establishment of a new sort of semicommercial zone for that section. "First-class" businesses and offices would be permitted in this zone. Only residences, apartments and institutions may locate there now. The automobile establishments involved in the building line dispute are in this block.

DO-X TO BE READY JAN. 16

BASEL, Switzerland, Dec. 24.—Germany's big seaplane, Do-X, will be ready to start for America on Jan. 16, Dornier Works announced yesterday. She is still at Lisbon, where repairs are proceeding to a wing damaged in a fire several weeks ago.

The route of the projected trans-Atlantic flight will take her to the Canary Islands from Lisbon, Portugal, thence to Brazil by way of Havana.

Majestic ELECTRIC REFRIGERATOR



30 Features

Here Are a Few of Them

Cabinet has flat top . . all-steel construction . . broom-high legs . . . unit above foot compartment . . . 5 freezing speeds . . . temperature regulator on front of panel . . . 3-inch moistureproof insulation . . . massive single door with finger-tip latch operation . . . 84 cubes.

$205

5 Cubic Foot Size Installed Your Nearest Light Socket.

CONVENIENT TERMS

Hellrung and Grimm
House Furnishing Co.
9th and Washington 16th and Cass

WHEN YOU FEEL A COLD COMING ON
TAKE
Grove's Laxative
BROMO QUININE
Tablets

SAYS PENNEY REFUSED TO AID CLOSED BANK

Head of Miami Depository 'Understands' Merchant 'Stood Squarely Behind It.'

By the Associated Press.

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 24.—State's Attorney N. Vernon Hawthorne issued a written statement last night in which he said Hugh R. Gordon Jr., president of the closed City National Bank, told him he (Gordon) had understood J. C. Penney and the Penney-Gwinn interests were "squarely behind the bank."

On last Saturday, however, when the bank called for aid Penney and J. W. Gwinn advised him, Hawthorne quoted Gordon as saying, they would not furnish further funds.

Gordon was questioned privately by Hawthorne. At the conclusion, the State's Attorney said Gordon answered all questions put to him in what he described as an attempt to see if Penney could be held liable to depositors for published statements that he and associates were "squarely behind the bank." It was said that on previous occasions the Penney-Gwinn interests had supplied funds in an emergency.

Tracing Rumors Blamed for Closing of Theatrical Bank.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The records of 12 brokerage houses thought to have dealt in bank stocks were subpenaed today by Assistant Attorney-General Washburn in an effort to trace rumors blamed for the closing yesterday of the Chelsea Bank & Trust Co., largely patronized by theatrical people. The subpenas will be followed, Washburn announced, by a questionnaire to brokerage firms requesting information about their bank stock dealings.

Gov. Roosevelt was asked in a letter today to investigate the State Banking Department and the Bank of United States and the Chelsea Bank & Trust Co. Alex J. Wyman, attorney, saying he acted on behalf of the East Broadway Protective League of Bank of United States depositors, requested the Governor to examine the management and affairs of the State Banking Department and to convene an extraordinary term of the Supreme Court to "investigate into criminal misconduct in connection with the affairs of the Bank of United States, the Chelsea Bank & Trust Co. and the State Banking Department."

State Sends $1,110,000 to Depositors in Closed Iowa Banks.

By the Associated Press.

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 24.—The State Banking Department has mailed checks totaling $1,110,000 to depositors in 26 Iowa banks closed this year.

100 Pct. Payment to Depositors in Crestline, Kan.

By the Associated Press.

COLUMBUS, Kan., Dec. 24.—Depositors of the Miners' and Farmers' State Bank of Crestline, closed last August, today received the remaining 30 per cent of the money they had placed in the bank's care. A dividend of 70 per cent was paid in October. Fred C. Baldwin, receiver for the bank, succeeded in collecting double liability from all the stockholders and realized on nearly every loan. Some of the loans were made 10 years ago.

DIVORCES MAN SHE MARRIED AT 5 A. M. FOLLOWING PARTY

Mrs. Ann Noonan Says Husband Refused to Recognize Her as Wife.

An uncontested divorce was granted to Mrs. Ann Noonan of Kansas City, Mo., today from Robert J. Noonan, a salesman for a rubber company, by Judge Hamilton in the Court of Domestic Relations.

Mrs. Noonan, who alleged general indignities and said her husband refused to recognize her as his wife, said they were married in Collinsville at 5 a. m. on Dec. 1, 1929, after a party. They separated the next day, she said, and never lived together. Noonan was represented by counsel but did not appear. Mrs. Noonan was granted the restoration of her maiden name, Schroeger.

Still Seized in Flat.

Federal prohibiton agents raided a flat at 1957A Burd avenue yesterday and seized a still in operation and 46 barrels of whisky mash, police reported. A man who said he was Harry Emerson, 43-year-old tinner, was arrested.

Brunswick (Ga.) Bank Declares 17 Pct. Annual Dividends.

By the Associated Press.

BRUNSWICK, Ga., Dec. 24.—Directors of the National Bank of Brunswick have declared a semiannual dividend of 6 per cent and an extra dividend of 5 per cent, making a total for the year of 17 per cent. This was the highest the bank has ever declared in a single year. The directors also announced bonuses of 10 per cent of the annual salaries to all officers and employes.

Two Small Banks Close Doors in Mississippi.

By the Associated Press.

JACKSON, Miss., Dec. 24.—The People's Bank & Trust Co. of North Carrollton, with deposits of $400,000, and the Bank of McCool, in Attala County, with deposits of $100,000, were closed yesterday.

Private Bank in Philadelphia Closed Because of Run.

By the Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—The private bank of M. L. Blitzsteon & Co., was closed yesterday "on account of heavy withdrawals." The bank was established in 1888. Its deposits are estimated in excess of $2,000,000, mostly by small merchants in the neighborhood. It operates under Exemption 6 of the private banking act of 1911 and therefore is under no State or other governmental supervision.

Effect of Communist Propaganda Investigated in House.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Charges that Communist propaganda was responsible for runs on certain banks in the United States were taken under consideration today by the House Communist Committee.

Chairman Fish issued a call to bankers for all information regarding "alleged whispering campaigns against banking institutions by Communists."

Frozen Assets Cause Suspension in Connersville, Ind.

By the Associated Press.

CONNERSVILLE, Ind., Dec. 24.—The First National Bank here was closed today by order of its directors. Frozen assets was given as the cause. It is understood that the bank, capitalized at $200,000, is solvent.

Green City (Mo.) Bank Reopened; Americus Depository Closed.

By the Associated Press.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 24.—The Bank of Green City (Mo.) closed several weeks ago with its assets tied up in closed Quincy (Ill.) banks, was reopened for business this morning.

The Bank of Americus, in Montgomery County, with a capital stock of $12,000 and total resources of $83,328, was closed yesterday by its board of directors because of heavy withdrawals.

Meet Betty

. . . the heroine of Faith Baldwin's new story that equals "The Office Wife" and "Alimony" in romance and drama.

"BETTY"

Begins Next Monday in the

POST-DISPATCH

DIRECTOR APPOINTED TO CO-ORDINATE RELIEF

Scott R. Dekins, Chamber of Commerce Secretary, Named by Citizens' Committee.

Scott R. de Kins, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, has been appointed director of the Citizens' Committee on Public Relief and given authority to act for the chairman, Birch O. Mahaffey, in deliberations of the advisory board and Executive Committee.

De Kins said he would call a meeting of the advisory board next week and ask the chairmen of each of the committee's six divisions to present a cimplete written outline of their plans at that time, so that the entire program of the committee could be made public. The personnel of the committee and each of its divisions should be complete when the meeting is called, he said.

Mahaffey said De Kins' chief duty at present would be to coordinate the work of the committee's six divisions so that their functions would not overlap. Chairmen of the divisions, he said, have felt the need of a central authority through which they can organize their clans. Divisions of the committee are known as Industrial, Public Works, Finance, Emergency Relief, Liaison, and Publicity.

"It is particularly necessary that the director affect this co-ordination at once," Mahaffey said, "not only to produce the results the public expects from the committee, but also to lay the foundation for a proposed financial campaign which doubtless will be started early in January."

The Citizens' Committee has received an appropriation of $300,000 from municipal funds, but its leaders think additional money will be needed. It is planned to seek this through voluntary contributions.

De Kins said he thought that directors of the various divisions, with perhaps one or two exceptions, should function through the administrative headquarters of the committee, on the sixth floor of the Chamber of Commerce Building. "Those responsible for carrying through the policies of the committee," he said, "should work side by side at headquarters until the task has been completed, if thorough co-operation and co-ordination of programs is to be accomplished."

Pevely Dairy Head Gives $300 to Police Fund.

Daniel C. Kerckhoff, president of Pevely Dairy Co., has donated $300 to the Police Department's fund to care for the destitute, Chief of Police Gerk said today.

Louis J. Gualdoni, president of the Italian branch of the St. Vincent De Paul Society, announced his organization has prepared 400 Christmas baskets for needy Italians.

WOMAN PHOTOGRAPHER KILLS SELF IN NEW YORK STUDIO

Christina Merriman Became Rich Taking Pictures of Literary Celebrities.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Miss Christina Merriman, 48 years old, who amassed a fortune photographing literary celebrities of all nations, shot herself to death yesterday in her fashionable Sutton Place Studio. She was a member of a wealthy family of Geneva, N. Y.

Miss Merriman's secretary and a maid were in another room of the apartment when they heard a pistol shot. They found their mistress on the living-room floor. A small revolver lay a few feet away. The woman, with a bullet wound in her neck, died before a doctor came.

Detectives questioned a sister, Mrs. A. Beaver, who said Miss Merriman recently had returned from Italy. The sister added, detectives said, that the artist had suffered for two years from a nervous ailment and had been under a physician's care.

Miss Merriman was secretary of the Foreign Policy Association in 1921 and during the same year was one of the organizers and chairman pro tem of the National Council on Limitation of Armaments. She was at one time executive secretary of the League of Free Nations Association.

TO EVICT TEXTILE STRIKERS

Writs Against 14 Families Granted at Danville, Va.

By the Associated Press.

DANVILLE, Va., Dec. 24.—Writs of possession requiring 14 strikers' families to vacate mill-owned homes are expected to be served Monday, Constable R. M. Foster said last night. The writs were granted yesterday by Magistrate W. E. Griggs, at a hearing resulting from eviction proceedings taken by the management of the Riverside and Dan River mills, whose union employes are on strike.

No defense was offered against the eviction proceedings at the hearing. Union leaders said the evicted families would be cared for in other strikers' homes.

Steamship Movements.

By the Associated Press.

Arrived.

New York, Dec. 23, Olympic from Southampton; Carinthia from Liverpool; Antonia from Southampton; America from Hamburg.

Yokohama, Dec. 22, President Cleveland from San Francisco.

Genoa, Dec. 23, Roma from New York.

Sailed.

Yokohama, Dec. 22, President Jefferson for San Francisco.

RULES BEING DRAWN FOR USE OF BRANDY INDUSTRIALLY

Regulations Must Be Approved by Mellon, Mitchell, Woodcock and Doran.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The California grape interests, the beneficiary of a large Government loan, were in line for further Federal aid today in the form of regulations designed to place high-proof fruit spirits, or brandy, on the industrial market.

Dr. James M. Doran, Commissioner of Industrial Alcohol, said these regulations had "been going through the mill" for several weeks. If finally approved they must bear his signature as well as those of Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, Attorney-General Mitchell and Prohibition Director Woodcock.

Under the plan, Doran said, it might be possible to run off some of the grape surplus as high-proof brandy and to use still more for the fortification of wine. It would, however, be for non-beverage purposes, and would be issued to the holders of alcohol permits as a substitute.

There is some question as to how commercially profitable such a plan would be, the commissioner said, as the brandy would come into direct competition with industrial alcohol. He said a clause in the Hawley-Smoot tariff authorized the usage.

ANNUAL BONUS AND $10 BILL PRESENTED TO NASH EMPLOYES

Globe Union Electric Manufacturing Co. at Milwaukee Gives Out $25,000.

KENOSHA, Wis., Dec. 24.—Charles W. Nash, president of the Nash Motor Co., presented employes with their annual bonus and envelopes containing a $10 bill yesterday. The amount of the bonus, he said, would be made public later.

By the Associated Press.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 24.—Bonus checks amounting to $25,000 were given today to the 558 employes of the Globe Union Electric Manufacturing Co. here. While the company's business was slightly under that of last year, C. O. Wanvig, president, said, November business exceeded the volume for the same month in 1929 by 40 per cent.

PAYS $41,858 INHERITANCE TAX

Estate of Mrs. J. W. Jacob Has Gross Value of $681,279.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 24.—A $41,658 inheritance tax was paid into the State Treasury yesterday on the estate of Mrs. Nettie L. Jacob of the Senate Apartments in St. Louis, who died Dec. 29, 1929.

The gross value of the estate was placed at $681,279. Mrs. Jacob, the widow of Joseph W. Jacob of the Charter Oak Stove and Range Co., made $1000 bequests each to Memorial Home, Children's Hospital and Frank Wyman Outing Farm, and willed the remainder to relatives.

Sues Actress for Separation.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Catherine Willard, actress, whose marriage name is Barry, is being sued for separation by William Edward Barry, a Supreme Court order permitting service of papers by publication discloses. Barry said his wife deserted him Aug. 15 and that three months ago she wrote him from Chicago saying she would not return, but gave no reason. They were married in 1925.

Free Groceries for Christmas.

By the Associated Press.

HANCOCK, Md., Dec. 24.—In large letters at the bottom of a sign listing Christmas edibles and prices, in front of H. D. McKinley's grocery here, is this notice: "Anyone unable to buy come in and we will give it to you."

TEMPERATURES AND PRECIPITATION IN PRINCIPAL CITIES

CITY	Temp at 7 a. m. today	Highest Yesterday	Lowest Last Night	Precipitation last 24 Hours.
Asheville, N. C.	18	28	18	.01
Atlanta, Ga.	26	38	26	.00
Bismarck, N. Dak.	30	38	24	.00
Boise, Idaho	10	20	8	.00
Boston	28	32	26	.04
Buffalo, N. Y.	24	30	24	.04
Cairo, Ill.	22	32	22	.02
Charleston, S. C.	32	46	30	.00
Chattanooga, Tenn.	26	38	22	.00
Cheyenne, Wyo.	26	44	26	.00
Chicago	12	24	12	.00
Cincinnati	16	28	16	.00
Cleveland	24	28	24	.00
Columbia, Mo.	26	36	24	.00
Columbus, O.	22	28	20	.02
Dallas	38	54	36	.00
Denver	26	50	24	.00
Des Moines, Ia.	20	26	20	.00
Detroit	16	28	16	.04
Duluth, Minn.	14	16	6	.00
El Paso, Tex.	30	48	30	.00
Ft. Smith, Ark.	30	48	30	.00
Ft. Wayne, Ind.	12	28	12	.00
Hannibal, Mo.	22	30	20	.00
Havre, Mont.	28	38	28	.00
Huron, S. Dak.	18	42	16	.00
Indianapolis	14	26	14	.02
Jacksonville, Fla.	38	48	36	.00
Kansas City, Mo.	30	40	30	.00
Knoxville, Tenn.	22	34	22	.00
Little Rock, Ark.	30	48	30	.00
Los Angeles	52	72	52	.00
Louisville	18	28	18	.00
Memphis	30	44	30	.00
Miami	40	56	40	.28
Mobile, Ala.	36	52	34	.00
Montgomery, Ala.	32	48	32	.00
Nashville, Tenn.	20	36	20	.00
New Orleans	42	54	40	.00
New York	30	40	28	.12
Norfolk, Va.	24	38	24	.00
Oklahoma City	34	54	34	.00
Omaha	28	38	28	.00
Peoria, Ill.	14	22	10	.00
Philadelphia	30	36	28	.04
Phoenix	32	66	32	.00
Pittsburg	24	28	20	.01
Portland, Ore.	36	42	34	.01
Raleigh, N. C.	24	40	22	.00
St. Joseph, Mo.	30	40	30	.00
St. Louis	24	34	22	.00
St. Paul	16	18	8	.00
Salt Lake City	16	[illegible]	16	.00
San Antonio	40	58	40	.00
San Francisco	42	54	40	.00
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	16	48	16	.00
Seattle	42	48	30	.00
Shreveport, La.	36	56	34	.00
Spokane, Wash.	28	32	28	.04
Springfield, Ill.	16	24	16	.00
Springfield, Mo.	28	38	28	.00
Tampa	38	56	38	.00
Vicksburg, Miss.	34	50	32	.00
Washington, D. C.	26	36	26	.00

MRS. PANTAGES FREED FROM HER PROBATION

Conviction of Manslaughter in Auto Killing Set Aside by Court.

By the Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 24.—Mrs. Lois Pantages, wife of Alexander Pantages, wealthy vaudeville theater owner, has been released from the 10-year probation imposed after her conviction 18 months ago of manslaughter in the killing of Joe Rokomoto, Japanese gardener, in an automobile collision.

After approving recommendations in the pre-Christmas report of the County Probation Board for the release from supervision of 149 others convicted of felonies, Superior Judge Hardy took up the case of Mrs. Pantages, for whom the board had made no recommendation.

Judge Hardy revoked Mrs. Pantages' probation, entered a plea of not guilty for her and dismissed the case. District Attorney Buron Fitts asserted Judge Hardy's action was a "travesty on justice." He said the reasons advanced by Mrs. Pantages were so "weak they were sickening."

Within two months of Mrs. Pantages' conviction, her husband was found guilty of assault. He is at liberty under bond awaiting final disposal of appeal. Mrs. Pantages said in her letter that because of her husband's conviction and her inability to leave Los Angeles because of the terms of her probation, she had not been able to regain her health, impaired by injuries suffered in the acident in which Rokomoto was killed.

She also asked that she be released in order that her children and Miss Beryl Sweeney, the bride-to-be of her eldest son, Rodney, might move in society without embarrassment.

Mrs. Pantages said she had paid $78,500 to the family of the Japanese gardener as she had been directed by Judge Hardy and felt she had paid her debt "to society in full."

Pantages, speaking for his wife, said that now she would no longer be forced to remain within the State, she would accompany Rodney and his bride on their honeymoon to Europe and the Orient.

PARDONS U. S. DRY AGENT WHO KILLED MAN IN RAID

Kentucky Governor Sets Aside Manslaughter Sentence Imposed in Federal Court.

By the Associated Press.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Oct. 24.—Roy V. Miller, first Federal prohibition agent ever convicted of manslaughter in a liquor raid, was pardoned by Gov. Sampson today.

The charge grew out of a raid led by Miller in Christian County five years ago. Frank Sears was shot to death when he ran from a tent the raiders had started to search. No liquor was found save for a small quantity in Sears' pocket. Miller was indicted in State Court but his case was transferred to Federal Court and he had been out on bond. The United States Circuit Court of Appeals upheld his sentence of two years in the State penitentiary last summer and Miller then appealed to the Governor. The Federal courts held that as the case originated in State courts the Governor had power to act.

Gov. Sampson commuted to 20 years the death sentence imposed on Bluford Abbott for an attack on Ruby Taylor, a young school teacher. Four other death sentences were commuted to life imprisonment.

Bank Robbers Get $600.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 24.—Three robbers held up a suburban branch of the Security-First National Bank today and escaped with $6000 in currency. They knocked the janitor unconscious to gain entrance to the building. When the manager arrived they forced him to open the vault.

SHAKEUP OF JUDGES IN NEW YORK WOMAN'S COURTS

Four Named in Vice Inquiry to Be Transferred to Other Posts, Beginning Jan. 1.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Four Woman's Court Magistrates, who were mentioned in testimony before the vice inquiry, will preside in other courts, beginning Jan. 1.

Without commenting, Chief Magistrate Joseph E. Corrigan let it be known yesterday that Magistrates Jesse Silbermann, Jean Norris, H. Stanley Renaud and Earl Smith had been transferred from their present posts for the six months' term ending June 30, 1931.

Of these only Magistrate Silbermann has been called on to defend himself against accusations that a ring of police, lawyers and bondsmen preyed on women who were convicted of immorality in their court. The others were named indirectly in the testimony of "Chile" Mapocha Acuna, former police stool pigeon, and John C. Weston, former acting Prosecutor.

Mayor Walker conferred with a group of civic leaders yesterday regarding the vice graft charges. Although the results of the meeting were kept secret, it is understood the Mayor appealed for co-operation in guarding against a breakdown in the morale of the police.

HIGHLAND, ILL., CONTRACTOR ENDS LIFE BY SHOOTING SELF

Daughter Testifies He Was Affected by Fumes While Working on Auto Saturday.

A Coroner's verdict of suicide was returned yesterday in the death of Fred G. Stoecker, a retired building contractor of Highland, Ill., who shot himself through the head in his home Monday after sending his daughter for some headache tablets.

The daughter, Miss Bernice Stoecker, testified that her father, who was 67 years old, always had been in good health until Saturday when he was affected by carbon monoxide gas while working on his automobile in a closed garage. He appeared to be better the next day but complained of a headache yesterday, she said.

Stoecker is survived by his widow and three other daughters, Miss Jane Renfro, Mrs. Helen Tuffil and Mrs. Florence Knoble, and two sons, Harry and Clarence Stoecker.

3 CHILDREN BURN TO DEATH DURING ABSENCE OF PARENTS

Mother and Father After Christmas Basket from Relief Organization at Time.

By the Associated Press.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Dec. 24.—Three of the four children of Mr. and Mrs. James Solomon perished in flames that destroyed their home today while their parents were absent to obtain a Christmas basket from a relief organization.

Neighbors, startled by billows of smoke issuing from the house, sounded an alarm. Firemen ran into the building and emerged with the three bodies. The dead children were Justina, 5 years old; Mary, 18 months, and Mildred, 4 months. A fourth child, Louise, 3, was rescued.

CHURCH NOTICES

Church of St. Michael and St. George
(Episcopal)
Ellenwood Av. & Wydown Bl.
Rev. Karl Morgan Block,
Rector
Rev. Early W. Poindexter,
Associate Rector
Christmas Eve Services
4:30 P. M.
Children's Christmas Service
"THE FEAST OF LIGHT"
11:00 P. M.—Carol Service
to Be Followed by
Service of Holy Communion
Christmas Day Service
10:30 A. M.—Holy Communion,
With
Address by Dr. Block

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The St. Louis Truth Center
4030 Lindell Blvd.
Wishes You a Merry Xmas
and a Happy and
Prosperous New Year

FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD THAT HE GAVE HIS ONLY BEGOTTEN SON THAT WHOSOEVER BELIEVETH IN HIM SHOULD NOT PERISH BUT HAVE EVERLASTING LIFE.
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The Lutheran Churches
of Greater St. Louis
INVITE You to Attend the
CHRISTMAS SERVICES TOMORROW
Come and Hear of
THE CHRIST CHILD—GOD'S GREAT CHRISTMAS GIFT TO MAN
The Manger Babe Is a Gift Ever New.
The Manger Babe Is a Gift That Is Everlasting.
The Manger Babe Is a Gift That Saves from Sin and Hell.
Placed by Lutheran Publ. Organization

NEW SALARIES PLANNED FOR COUNTY'S OFFICERS

Legislation to Be Sought to Settle Question as Result of 211,000 Population.

A series of bills fixing the compensation of four or more elective officers in St. Louis County and regulating the number and pay of clerks will be introduced at the next session of the Legislature in January, in an effort to remove the question which arose as a result of the census showing a population of 211,000.

Existing sections of the statutes under which St. Louis County has been regulated restrict their application to counties of less than 150,000. Since that population now is exceeded, St. Louis County is placed in the class with Jackson County, which includes Kansas City, and for which salary schedules were drawn in legislation passed in 1895, relating to counties of from 170,000 to 500,000 population.

If the 1895 act were found to be applicable to St. Louis County, Collector Willis W. Benson and Assessor George M. Herpel would receive salaries of $3000 instead of being permitted to retain fees up to $10,000 a year. Prosecuting Attorney Castlen would be paid $5000 a year instead of $6000, and Recorder Arthur W. Schmid would receive $3000 instead of $4000. The number of employes in these offices and their pay, likewise, would be decreased.

County Counselor Robert F. Stanton, who has said that there is some doubt also about other offices, returned from Jefferson City yesterday after a conference there with Assistant Attorney-General Albert Miller, who was asked for an opinion of what officers should be paid now. They have continued to draw their old salaries. Miller, Stanton said, did not commit himself on the situation. Stanton was accompanied by Associate Prosecuting Attorney Charles N. Noble.

REMOVED FROM SINKING BARGES

Seven Rescued by Tug After Crash During Snowstorm.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24. — Seven persons, including two women and a child, were safely removed from three barges today before the boats sank after a collision in the harbor with the Furness-Red Cross steamer Dominica. The crash occurred during a snow storm.

The rescues were made by the tug Ashbourne, which had the string of coal-laden barges in tow. The Dominica after a halt of 10 minutes, proceeded to St. John's, N. F. She was undamaged. The barges were owned by the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad.

SHOOTS AT FLEEING MAN; WOUNDS WOMA

Granite City Policeman Th Arrests Customer Who Pr sented Doubtful Check.

Steve Waters, motorcycle poli man of Granite City, firing a s last night at a man who br away from him at Nineteenth a State street, Granite City, wound Mrs. Elmer Cooper, 2028 Madis avenue, whom the man had sei to shield himself. The bul struck her in the right hand, flicted a flesh wound in the ab men and lodged in her left leg.

Waters then arrested the m who said he was George D. Wil of Cincinnati, O.

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10:30 A. M. to 8 P. M. ▶ *Christmas Dinner* . . 77c

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Percolated Coffee	5c
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Friday Dinner

Escalloped Oysters	18c
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Victor Machine Works list, 606-12 S. Broadway	3 40
Royal Garment Co., Lesser-Goldman Bldg.	5 00
J. D. Horne Wall Paper Co. list, 3174-78 Easton av.	4 50
Electrical Approval Bu. Inc. list, 1802-3 Ry. Exchg. Bldg.	2 50
Electrical Listing Bureau list, 408 Equitable Bldg.	8 00
Russell W. Rex list, 6229 Gravois av.	1 75
St. L. Police Relief Assn. list, 1200 Clark av.	23 25
St. Louis Radiator Co. list, 3326 Washington av.	7 00
Armstrong Wilkins & Co. list, 201-2 Bd. of Education Bldg.	3 75
Armour & Co list, 1110-18 N. 12th st.	8 00
George Sofios list, 4412 Olive st.	3 95
Cahill Mfg. Co. list, 1013-19 Chouteau av.	29 50
Marcus Marks & Son list, 415 N. 8th st.	3 95
Commercial Rating Co. list, Chamber of Commerce Bldg.	8 00
Famous & Barr Co. list, 601 Olive st.	29 25
Shell Petroleum Corp. list, 1225 Locust st.	446 30
Fairmont Cafeteria list, 710 Pine st.	4 35
Police Dept. First Dist. list	14 35
Police Dept. Sixth Dist. list	5 50
Illinois Powder Mfg. Co. list, 1725 Pierce Bldg.	18 00
Messuregraph Co. list, 4245 Forest Pk. av.	14 25
Davis Avouris list, 1300 Pine st.	1 00
Cotton Belt R. R. list	3 75
Mohr Decorating Co. list, 4513 Olive st.	13 25
Koerner Engineering Co. list, 1001 Syndicate Trust Bldg.	5 00
Metropolitan Pharmacy list, 215-17 Metropolitan Bldg.	37 35
Renard Linoleum Co. list, 1300 Washington av.	14 45
Hanan & Son List, 908 Olive st.	2 25
Eclipse Elect. Co., List, 1224 Pine	4 00
St. Louis Law Ptg. Co. List, 415 N. Eighth st.	4 75
Elias Baba 319 N. 10th st.	1 00
S. M. Arnold, Inc., List, 2902 Olive	1 85
Papao Laboratories, Inc. List, 1110A Locust st.	14 00
Emerson Elect. Mfg. Co. List, 2018 Washington av.	198 07
Central District, Police Dept. List	37 50
Peoples Motorbus Co. List, 3615-27 Forest Park av.	45
Champion Auto Spring Co. List, 3141 Pine st.	6 00
Nat. L. McGuire, Inc. List, 301 S. Vandeventer av.	3 20
Ely-Walker D. G. Co. List, 1520 Washington av.	261 06
F. J. S.	2 00
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kistenmacher	5 00
Mrs. H. R. Yerkes	5 00
Mr. and Mrs. Harland Batholomew	5 00
Lillian Latle, 3515 Olive st.	1 00
John Dunigan, 3515 Olive st.	1 00
James E. Smith	25 00
Robert Krieger, 4960 Tyrolean av.	25
Chas. and Bobby Schroeder, 4003 Flora pl.	1 00
A Friend	1 00
Mrs. L. Olsen, 5239 Cote Brilliante	1 00
Mrs. H. T. McCune, 5131 Cabanne	1 00
Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Klein, 3507A Cherokee st.	2 00
Mrs. L. Herrendoerfer, 3307 Oregon	1 00
A. F. Kring, 5845 Romaine pl.	5 00
C. J. Embree	1 00
Employes and Hairdressers, Gibbs & Co., 505 N. 7th st.	32 62
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Webb, 5004 Murdoch av.	2 00
Elliott & Stephens Machinery Co., List, 901-04 Chemical Bldg.	3 00
James & Co., List, 2740 N. Grand	1 85
George L. Sanders List, 822-25 Louderman Bldg.	7 00
Metropolitan Life Ins. Co. list, 3600 N. Grand bl.	13 25
Consolidated Lumber Co., 1282 Arcade Bldg.	8 75
Excavating Sec. list, 422 City Hall	9 25
Harry A. Grossman list, 3221 Olive st.	27 75
F. D. Hirschberg & Co. list, Landreth Bldg.	41 50
Bishop Letter Shop list, 344 Pierce Bldg.	1 25
Amer. Metal Prod. Co. list, 6040 Delmar bl.	2 35
Dr. Wm. H. Frudenstein, 4011 Chouteau av.	1 00
Mrs. Ethel McAuley, 300 Fullerton Bldg.	2 00
Caradine Hat Co. list, 2128 Washington av.	65 25
Richard L. McCann list, 2622 Cass	10 95
T. J. Moss Tie Co. list, 700-3 Security Bldg.	14 45
Ben J. Selkirk & Sons list, 1534 Arcade Bldg.	7 00
C. F. Rabbeitt Inc., 1519 N. Broadway	5 00
Metropolitan Life Ins. Co. list, 1900-2 Ry. Exch Bldg.	2 75
Natl. Ammonia Co. list, 3600 N. Broadway	21 75
Metropolitan Life Ins. Co. list, 419 Missouri Bldg.	6 50
C. A. Schilli list, 3724 Gravois	1 10
D. Goldberg, 4008 Chouteau av.	1 00
Manne Bros. Furn. Co. list, 5615 Delmar bl.	6 60
Mound City Trust Co. list, 2900 N. Union bl.	5 85
Carrie M. Allen, 3610 W. Florissant av	3 00
Lewis & Rice list, 1204-6 Fed. Com Tr. Bldg.	15 00
Dr. Robt. H. Davis, 1143 Missouri Bldg.	2 00
Dr. John Zahorsky list, 536 N. Taylor av.	2 00
Lindell Trust Co. list, 2745 N. Grand av.	19 50
John A. Morgan Inc. list, 3201 Chippewa st.	5 50
Cash	1 75
St. L. Independent Pack. Co. list, 3815 Chouteau av.	172 30
Frisco Railroad list, Frisco Bldg.	172 60
Missouri Pacific R. R. Co. list, Missouri Pacific Bldg.	357 55
Ralston Purina Co. list, 835 S. Eighth st.	128 37
Hug Co. list, 3030 Locust	5 00
St. Louis Butter Co. list, 937 N. Broadway	5 00
Warfield Shop list, 28 Euclid Bldg.	15 00
Periodical Pub Serv. Bu. Inc. list, 405 Shubert-Rialto Bldg.	2 85
Thos. Cook & Co., 1020 Locust	2 00
Employes of Mnfrs. & Mchts. Assn. of St. L., 310 Security Bldg.	5 00
Group of Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. Employes	100 00
Walsh Motor Car Co. list, 5127 Delmar bl.	8 50
Warfield Rooms Employes, 387 N. Euclid av.	3 20
Dwight-Hochberg Co. list, 307 Pineate Bldg.	2 00
J. Kerper & Son list, 1518 S. Broadway	1 50
Arth. Rosenblatt list, 302 Wainwright Bldg.	1 25
Jeff K. Stone & Co. list, 1707 Ambassador Bldg.	11 75
St. L. Radio Trades Assn., 1644 Syndicate Trust Bldg.	5 00
Midwest Disp. Equipment Co. list, 1415 Washington av.	5 00
Tenn. Central Ry. Co. list, 305 Planter Bldg.	1 75
Ward Baking Co. list, 4510 Parkview place	29 05
R. W. Hunt Co. list, 1403 Syndicate Trust Bldg.	7 50
Dickie Constr. Co. list, 517 Louderman Bldg.	39 25
Nashville, Chattanooga & St. L. Ry. list, 1850 Ry. Exch. Bldg.	6 00
Big Four Route list, 410 Planters Bldg.	13 45
Ill. Terminal Ry. list, 1221 Locust	10 00
Union Elec. Lt & Power Co. list, 12th and Locust sts.	125 65
Pullman Co. list, 310 Union Station	6 80
Royal Loan Co. list, 526 Paul Brown Bldg.	5 00
Edw. C. Jachens, 4577 Easton	2 00
Jas. B. Howard list, 723 St. Charles st.	5 00
Wm. J. Affolter, 517½ N. Vandeventer av.	1 00
Jeff-Olive Cigar Co. list, 2339 Olive st.	5 20
Henry O. Nouss list, 1150 Bell Telephone Bldg.	1 75
U. S. Auto Supply Co., 4844 Easton av.	1 00
Champion Shoe Machinery Co. list, 3711 Forest Park bl.	1 00
Edwin Clapp Shoe Shop, Inc., list, 518 Olive st.	2 00
A. J. Kettler, 21st floor Railway Exchange Bldg.	1 00
Adolph Drisler	1 00
Merry Christmas	1 00
Mackenzie, 7453 Florissant rd.	2 00
Henry Carlton	1 00
Philip C. Scanlan, 902 Security Bldg.	5 00
Wm. Martin, 6229 Hancock av	1 00
C. B. Coleman	1 00
Dora Holthaus, 5239 Westminster	10 00
Lillie N. Allen	5 00
M. L. Kincaid, 3761 O'Meara av.	2 00
Louise Furer	1 00
Joe and Jean Stevens, 6939 Perand av	1 00
Kosel	1 00
Mrs. Walter J. Taylor, 7518 Springdale drive	1 00
L. F. Vutema, 39 Marshall pl., Webster Groves, Mo.	5 00
Gus A. Schwartzel, 2217 Clark	5 00
F. C. H.	2 00
H. W. Strecker, 5034 Winona av.	2 00
W. H. Jenner, 2633 Margaret, Maplewood, Mo	1 00
Alice S. Wolff, 380 N. Taylor av.	1 00
Raymond, Sidney and Marvis Davidson	1 00
A. F. Kindervater	1 00
Mrs. Geo. F. Baker, 7209 Pershing	2 00
L. M. Holthaus, 5239 Westminster	10 00
B. A. Holthaus, 5239 Westminster pl.	10 00
Peter Wald, 3718 Vest av.	1 00
The Monday Sewing	10 00
John G. Lutkewitte, Mrs. John G. Lutkewitte, Miss Elizabeth Bauer	3 00
Miss Bertha White, 5635 Clemens	1 00
Beatrice Alshuler	2 00
Cash	2 00
Geo. B. Everett, Valley Pk. Mo.	2 00
R. W. Keen	1 00
C. S. Ceverson, 222 Pine st.	5 00
Laurance Boswell, Ry. Exch. Bl.	2 00
E. F. Warncke, 610 Equitable Bl.	2 00
Mitchell Coal & Material Co., 4769 Easton av.	3 00
Mrs. D. Grossberg, 5783 Westminster pl.	1 50
Mrs. W. J. Elmore, 4027A Shaw.	2 00
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The Kelly Children, 326 E. Jefferson av., Kirkwood Mo.	2 00
J. E. Kindall, 3991 Wilmington	2 00
Miss E. E. Lante, 5111A St. Louis av.	2.00
H. H. Todd, 410 National Bk. Com. Bldg.	2 00
Bitting & Co., 316 N. 8th st.	4 00
Jerre Moberly	5 00
Cash	10 00
A Friend	25
G. A. Cramer, Shenandoah and Lemp	10 00
Employes of the Renewal, Accident and Health Dept. of Continental Life Ins. Co.	7 10
Kuhs Buick Co. list, 2837-39 N. Grand av.	9 00
A Friend	5 00
P. M. Bruner Granitoid Co. list, 423-26 Frisco Bldg.	6 00
M. S. M.	5 00
Hon. Franklin Miller list, 320 Municipal Courts Bldg.	10 00
Paramount Publix Corp. list, 3201-3 Olive st.	13 75
R. L. Polk & Co. list, Sesame Bldg.	5 00
Saml. G. Beffa list, 1017 Locust	1 40
Husson-Frampton Motor Car Co. list, 4517-35 Delmar bl.	16 70
Jos. A. Gerk, Chief of Police list, 1200 Clark av.	22 00
Fire Dept. No. 42 list, 5749 Manchester av.	1 25
Hartford Steam Boiler Insp. & Ins. Co. list, 617 Security Bldg.	10 00
Foot Correction Bureau list, 374 Paul Brown Bldg.	5 00
Weir & Niederluecke list, 407 Wainwright Bldg.	3 50
Missouri Cafeteria list, City Club Bldg.	4 90
Amer. Central Ins. Co. list, Planters Bldg.	19 75
Bemis Bag Co. list, 601 S. 4th	2 00
Geo. Kilgen & Son Inc. list, 4016 N. Union bl.	23 62
Rivoli Theater list, 210 N. 6th	13 50
M. W. Warren Co. list, 808 Laclede Gas Lt. Bldg.	8 00
Office of Building list, 503 University Club Bldg.	5 00
Reliable Battery Co. list, 5503 Easton av.	1 00
Central States Motors list, 3145 Locust st.	7 50
Weber Bros. list, 134 Mchts. Ex. Bldg.	2 60
Chas Lelly, 8243 N. Broadway	3 00
Barger & Lyon list, 2822-24 Easton av.	2 75
Louis Klein list, 2011 Market	1 20
Laclede Hdw. Co. list, 3350 Laclede av.	2 00
Employes Murphy Door-Bed Co., Merrick-Achle-Hutchinson Bldg.	1 00
Employes Otis & Co.	5 00
Levitt Millinery Co. list, 3957 W. Florissant av.	1 00
Dr. Edw. H. Sellman, 3169 S. Grand bl.	1 00
Goide Clothes Shop list, 520 Olive	1 00
Acme Shoe Specialty Co. list, 1311 Washington av.	3 00
Louis H. Stehle list, 3126 Easton	3 25
Cereal By-Products Co. list, 206 Merchants Exchange Bldg.	1 00
Constantine Kiriazis list, 1235 S. Broadway	1 50
Mellier Drug Co., 2112 Locust	5 00
First National Life Ins. Co. list, First National Bank Bldg.	8 25
Alton Brick Co. list, 1407-12 Chemical Bldg.	5 50
Ad-O Grams Inc. list, 6150 Delmar bl.	3 00
Anonymous	1 00
Jacob H. Koch list, 4916 Delmar	3 00
Alex Bozzo, 104 N. Ninth	25
J. D. Roy, 1017 Paul Brown Bldg.	2 00
Underwriters Salvage Corp. No. 3 list, 3331 Locust st.	2 00
Thau-Nolde Inc. list, 503-11 Frisco Bldg.	14 35
Knight-Dysart & Gamble list, 401 Olive st.	12 40
Anonymous	1 00
Child Guidance Clinic list, 154 Municipal Courts Bldg.	4 00
Rome Brass Radiator Inc. list, 354 Paul Brown Bldg.	5 00
C. A. Berkley, 411 Wainwright Bldg.	2 50
O'Reilly Mortgage Co., 412 Wainwright Bldg.	3 00
Geo. T. Bixon, 1 S. Fouth st.	1 00
Harry G. Whelan list, 800 Rialto Bldg.	2 50
Arth M. Branch, 204 Security Bldg.	1 00
C. S. Pierce Dressing Co. list, 1600 Locust st.	6 50
Waltke Inv. Co., 753 Boatmen's Bank Bldg.	25 00
Street Commissioner list, 420 City Hall	17 50
Thum Engineering Co. list, 507 Granite Bldg.	1 50
St. L. Theatrical Brotherhood Local No. 6 list, 311 Odeon Bldg.	14 00
Rene Bakewell, 308 Planters Bldg.	2 00
Etta Mueller Beauty Shop list, 4213 S. Kingshighway	5 00
Mrs. Ella Heffernan, 4730 Newcomb pl.	1.00
Sam Unterberger, 4525 Lindell	1 00
All Star Bowling League	96 25
Cash	1 00
Cash	1 00
Cash	3 00
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weibert, 3722 Michigan av.	5 00
Cash	5 00
Naomi S.	1 00
Bauer Bros. Brokerage Co.	5 00
Electric Service Co. list, 120 N. Second st.	5 00
Total	$13,873 32

Amer. Central Ins. Co. of St. Louis, 7th Floor, Planters Bldg.

D Maurer Jr.	25	R R Dodge	25
H L Hall	25	A M Thalgott	25
H M Byrnes	25	L Myers	25
E Byrne	25	Kathryn Rice	25
W H Nichols	25	M Rehder	25
A Moellenhoff	25	A Comenzind	25
G G Vogt	25	M Cardnzand	25
Joe Huelsing	25	R Weringhaus	25
E Oppleger	25	F Foley	25
E Moehle	25	L Schneider	25
Bob Sioas	25	H Dameron	25
S Orzel	25	M L Fitz	25
Ed Pocker	25	Marie Collins	25
W Fisher	25	P W Cooke	1 00
C Rieman	25	W Bellrose	25
Bud Wheeler	25	H Sullivan	25
F W Farrar	25	H Wagoner	25
C Panesin	25	C M Link	50
E Howard	25	V Buelmann	25
C Gaston	25	C Wallace	25
F Sappington	50	E M Murphy	25
W Landy	25	M Hammacher	25
H I Riemen	25	Harold Guibbs	25
L Moore	25	C Hunter	25
D E Dembeck	25	C H Knapp	50
A Pritsch	25	L Anderson	25
Lena Walters	25	Mrs. Bloemke	25
A J Bitter	25	Zeta Layton	25
P J O'Donnell	25	M J. Todd	25
L Nearen	25	L Moore	25
M McInerney	25	A Bochstregt	25
V Miller	25	Alma Petry	25
M Albrecht	25	C Blake	25
Al Roche	25	C Riemann	25
A Henry	25	Cash	25
D Stohlman	50		
D Werninghaus	25	Total	$19 75

Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., 1900-2 Railway Exchange.

A. F. Cole	$ 25	L.C. Henderson	25
J. Quinn	1 00	Gale Johnston	25
C. M. Welson	1 00		
		Total	$2 75

Richard L. McCann, 2622 Cass Ave.

R L McCann	$10 00	Wm Erker	05
J P Donnelly	25	Phil Budrewig	05
Tony Marsala	10	Savarin Ferraro	05
Ed Hammond	5	Mat Fox	10
Walter Delfert	05	Abe Friedman	10
G Hammond	05		
A Gawlbrecht	05	Total	$10 95

T. J. Moss Tie Co., 700-3 Security Bldg.

F C Wand	$1 00	M Levy	50
J M R	50	H H Vaughan	50
E W Jones	40	J M Rigby	50
R L Leonard	50	C A Brucker	50
J Steinkoetter	50	C E Tebby	50
D B Mabry	50	A W	1 00
J W Henderson	1 00	G C Hannaway	1 00
E J Schelling	50	A W T Penney	1 00
Dick Moreno	50	W W Slaw	1 00
L Dunajeck	30	E E Pershall	2 00
Eug Schaller	25		
		Total	$14 45

Jos. A. Gerk, Chief of Police, 5th Floor, 1200 Clark Ave.

I A G	$5 00	A W Steffen	50
J H G	1 50	F F Brandt	50
J W M	50	Albert Rath	50
A L W	1 00	K K	50
H H W	50	G E T	50
R K	50	J M Fini	50
S I S	1 00	R Barry	50
O S	50	R T Heaton	50
A D	50	C J White	1 00
A B	50	S S	1 00
Anonymous	50	A W Dunlop	1 00
J B B	1 00	E E Fisher	1 00
F Smith	50		
A Bardol	50	Total	$22 00
R McClarin	50		

Office of Building, 503 University Club Building.

F. Jarger	$ 25	A. Mullenpos	10
Wm. Wilkens	25	R. Pulay	25
Ed Lyston	25	M. Pearon	25
E. Freeze	25	J. Fisher	10
F. Klemach	25	C. Voran	25
E. Pitesel	25	J. Votruba	10
M. Burton	25	C. Klemach	25
V. Frank	25	E. Braddy	25
L. Gartland	25	E. Meyer	25
L. Leidenkrans	25	M. McDermott	25
A. Clayton	25	A. Steele	25
R. Mosley	25		
S. Taylor	25	Total	$5 50

Metropolitan Life Ins. Co., 419-22 Missouri Bldg.

J. G. C.	$1 00	James Fox	25
Cash	50	C. E. G.	50
U. P. Moore	50	Cash	50
G. E. Augustine	50	J. Bennett	50
E. J. Z.	1 00	M. E. Jick	50
L. Marcus	50		
S. Golub	25	Total	$6 50

Murdock Furniture Co., 4602-10 Chouteau.

D. Goldberg $1 00

Ward Baking Co., 4510 Parkview Place.

W Korte	$1 00	W H Cobb	1 00
N Zimmer Jr	50	C J Brown	25
J Bryan	50	Joe Cummin	25
R Kellmann	50	E Eckhardt	25
A Ludwig	25	W Maloney	25
R Mayldson	50	J Smith	25
M Smith	50	C Richards	25
H Meyering	1 00	J Schilling	50
M Drwenski	50	Clodell	1 00
E Whitney	50	C Harsero	25
C Wilson	25	N Cloch	25
Geo Lackey	25	Stewart	25
J Brett	50	Wm Gormer	25
W M Bray	25	H Solomon	25
Bob Petshka	25	C Solomon	25
A Rauff	25	J Smith	25
T Trouse	1 00	M Boellner	25
C Morton Jr.	1 00	P Hoehn	25
P Fleddermann	25	G Quertermous	50
W Doen	25	W Smidt	25
J C Markt	25	O Ryann	25
R C Lowry	25	G Beaton	25
R Beck	25	A Cranna	25
Jim Hulser	25	P Purcelli	25
G Vollmer	25	E Rosein	25
A G Glenzer	25	E Schilling	25
W Rutke	25	F Wuelers	25
R Caldwell	25	M Koehler	25
E Mohrman	25	E Pyle	10
T Fortun	25	J Gerard	15
C G Gasser	1 00	W Green	25
F Moder	25	E A Smith	25
J Smith	25	A Doerr	25
Paul Abbots	50	R Sardella	25
H Brandt	50	R Mathews	25
Juder Earle	25	T Dernaway	25
H Klein	50	L Koechich	25
R Manfold	25	L E Malser	25
A Stocker	25		29 05

Street Commissioner, 420 City Hall.

J M Slater	$2 00	Hy Westerfield	25
J J Maguire	50	Louis Menges	25
Wm C Rese	25	Al Schneider	25
M A Steel	25	Robert Urbinak	25
Wm Skellett	25	James Johnson	25
Fred Grash	25	Thomas Farmer	25
M M Silver	25	Thomas O'Brien	25
August Burger	25	George Weber	25
Ferd Wissmer	50	Jason Kerr	25
Albert Staanken	25	P Ramagsiri	25
Chas Bach	25	Alvary Hortez	25
Fred R Johnson	25	G Merkel	25
J A Pickert	25	H Meyer	25
Michael Bass	25	Aug Rohm	25
H Riechman	25	Jacob Karsch	25
Herbert Meley	25	E Gallenbeck	25
Paul Kowalski	25	Otto Kratz	25
Alphonse Gordon	25	M Weise	25
Arthur Jones	25	Leo Finlin	25
Alvin Wurtz	25	Wm Kellerman	25
Edward Voelker	25	Wm Weingart	25
Stephan Braun	25	Wm Klein	25
Wm Dwyer	25	Chas Gross	25
Adolph Wessler	25	Jess Hoffman	25
Robert Olsen	25	Edw Siefert	25
Wm Stakler	25	Frank Blunk	25
Jack R Green	25	Eug Leiber	25
Jesse Williams	25	P McDonald	25
Anthony Apke	25	Rud Goerner	25
Charles Harkins	25		
Anthony Plant	25	Total	$17 50

Kuhs Buick Co., 2837-39 N. Grand Bl.

J F Dister	$ 50	Ben K	25
Edith Mossop	50	Wm D	25
A J Gocke	50	Wm Dutley	25
C A Huffine	50	Wm B	25
T H	1 00	D Taylor	25
O P Parker	50	C C	25
E C Glandt	25	Wm Kuehn	25
E Y Benson	50	H Saemore	25
W F Impey	25	Geo Weber	25
P A W	25	R A McF	25
F W Lewis	25	H Fleiter	25
R Remmler Jr	50	H A Clark	25
M Shaw	50	W C Sparks	25
F H	25		
T Engel	25	Total	$9 00

Walsh Motor Car Co., 5127-35 Delmar.

Contributions to Post-Dispatch Christmas Festival Fund

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Police Department, Ninth District.

Capt. Tierney	$2 00	C Calcaterra	1 00
W Archibald	50	C Horan	1 00
John Carten	1 00	J Vorst	1 00
H Bentley	50	R Mayfield	50
J Hayes	1 00	W Varwig	1 00
C Wommer	50	P Finan	1 00
L Stewart	1 00	E Schaaf	50
J Gunn	1 00	D Myers	1 00
C Rein	1 00	W Oliver	1 00
F Riechman	1 00	S. Kaercher	1 00
J Finan	1 00	L Jones	1 00
C Callanay	1 00	T Steele	1 00
A Ritter	1 00	Brandeburger	1 00
R Miller	1 00	E Dust	1 00
F Niese	1 00	C Cold	1 00
J Dodd	1 00	Ser. Palmer	1 00
Stuckemeyer	1 00	W Carmody	1 00
Sharp'koetter	1 00	F Smith	1 00
C Brostron	1 00	Ser. Erlacher	1 00
W Schmidt	1 00	A Meier	50
Ser. Murphy	1 00	R Brennan	1 00
J Cox	1 00	Kuntegmeier	1 00
J Oeden	1 00	C Schenider	1 00
L Remnert	1 00	Budermgan	1 00
Ellspermann	1 00	W Gillmanan	1 00
P Biernacki	1 00	R Price	50
J Anton	1 00	D Bradley	1 00
R Lauchlin	1 00	A Siko	1 00
E Hoffman	1 00	A Trane	50
F Finan	1 00	Hennessmeier	1 00
J Murray	1 00	J Erneydorf	50
J Riordan	1 00	Stogdell	50
O Leuckrath	1 00	A Baluka	50
T Fitzgerald	1 00	F McGilmans	50
D Hamilton	1 00	Cantillon	50
W Stroud	1 00	F O'Neill	1 00
H Straake	1 00	M Hanbrick	1 00
W Hamblin	1 00	T Rathgber	1 00
F Beach	1 00	J Sparks	1 00
F Bauer	1 00	G Drekshage	1 00
T Fuller	1 00	W Wiegand	1 00
E Busch	1 00		
L Huebner	1 00	Total	$79 50

Davis Avouris, 1300 Pine st.

D Javuris	$ 75	M. Savage	25
		Total	$1 00

Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R., 208 N. Broadway.

C R M	$0 50	L A B	25
F D E	50	O L F	25
E B	50	E L	25
C T C	50	W E S	50
A J M	50	A K H	50
J R O	50	G E Y	50
P C B	50	G A O	50
C E M	50	A G P	50
W H	1 00	P M K	50
A Z	50	A W W	50
G O G	50	E K P	50
W E	30	F W J	50
H E E	30	F W W	25
D W	50	E K M	25
A W	25	W H M	25
M R	25	R J Y	25
S C	25	P F	50
O W G	50	J R	30
E F S	50	W E H	1 00
T K K	50	J D F	50
R P W	30		
M A R	25	Total	$18 20

Credit Service Co., 1881 Railway Exchange

C Thomas	$1 00	E Oliver	50
		Total	$1 50

Baden City Water Works, 8328 N. Broadway.

H Ewert	$1 00	C Erkins	25
Hemmersmeier	25	M Max	25
Dietrich	25	Patton	25
J Bripp	25	W Duttney	25
M Wallen	25	M Berwin	25
W Maniger	25	A Thuel	50
W Horner	25	P Grimm	25
P Woerther	25	W Schader	25
J Craft	25	Ebling	25
L Vogt	25	R Hawksley	25
Schiffmann	25	T Mettling	25
G Baker	25	F Fischer	25
B Edmunds	25	E L Riess	25
W Miles	25	W Kudage	25
W Metting	25	Stunkel	25
T Martin	25	Alsmeyer	25
Franzini	25	Kneaster	25
J Wallin	25	Luttmer	25
H Gerigold	25	Clark	25
M Critchfield	25	P Grimm	25
W Sturm	25		
F Link	25	Total	$11 50

Cherokee Nat. Bank, 2604 Cherokee St.

W Smith	$1 00	Cash	1 00
Rudy	1 00	Total	$4 00
A Gilleran	1 00		

Cosmopolitan Life, Healths and Accident Ins. Co., 211 N. Jefferson Av.

D S Roden'g.	$0 50	S Rodenberg	25
J H Suzel	50	H Tabachnik	50
S Levin	10	Samuel Rain	25
L Nudleman	25	N S Bender	50
Jack Kaiser	50	J J Zimmer'n	50
Eli Banet	25	R Blattner	25
Irene Rain	25	B Weenuk	50
M. Rodenberg	25		
S Winkler	25	Total	$5 60

Walter Freund Bread Co., 4479 Choteau.

J J Pieper	$0 25	C Huhn	25
W Clors	25	Wm Finke	25
M Ahearn	25	Wm Spiess	25
Louis Wenner	25	K Lang	25
L L Fennerty	25	C J Boraholt	25
W L R Menge	1 00	C Ossue	25
E Kemper	25	W McCabe	50
Henry Kleba	1 00	W E Vaith	25
Wm Baisch	25	J C Schultz	25
E Moseley	25	M G Schulte	25
E Ostenfeld	25	R Chandler	30
M Kuechen'k	25	Joe Morris	25
Lloyd Sutton	25	Jim Adair	25
Jennie Wiener	25	P C Price	50
Velma Phelan	25	J Mason	25
M Rotermund	25	Art Finke	25
L S T	1 00	C J F	1 00
A Schuchat	25	Harry Glitts	25
Mary Starkey	25	A F	1 00
H George	25	A Stosberg	25
T Roenngke	25	Nick Jost	50
S Steinbern	25	W McGuire	25
W H. Senne	25	G Dietrich	25
Marie Broun	25	B Price	5 00
W Shanklin	25	Anonymous	2 70
W A Kryer	25		
J Voellrung	25	Total	$25 00

Becker-Lehmann Sales Co., 3041-43 Olive.

F Becker	$1 00	J Wheeler	25
W Dimmick	25	U Morris	25
A Jansen	25	C Gutknecht	25
D Albrecht	25	M Lehmann	1 00
A Wiblock	25		
		Total	$3 75

National Chair Co., 301 S. Main St.

J Ywitz	1 00	W Helling	25
W Ayland	50	O Tasche	25
M Budsick	50	D Thompson	25
M Huber	50	O Luther	25
L Ehrhard	25	T Hubenthal	25
E Grant	25	L Simpson	50
J Rasper	25		
		Total	$5 00

Yeckel-Earickson & Co., Inc., 3544 Gravois

O Earickson	2 00	H Bruning	50
Earickson Jr	$1 00	G Franz	1 00
T Coates	1 00	M Goell	50
M Rohrbach	50	J Boehe	1 00
W Bremmer	1 00	M Hoffman	50
E Schwacker	50	O Laffler	1 00
M Cody	50	C Yeckel	1 00
H Melcher	50	A S Teller	1 00
A Wieberg	50	L Yeckel	2 00
C Parrott	50	F Ruhl	1 00
F Meisinger	50		
D Evertz	1 00	Total	$19 50
G Renz	50		

Bader's Art and Drawing Materials, 1110 Locust St.

A. J B.	$1 00	A. L. L.	25
R. O. S.	25	F R.	25
G. R. B.	25	W. B.	25
P. R.	25	E. S.	25
D. K.	25	J. W.	10
W. W.	10		
E. K.	10	Total	$3 35
T. L.	25		

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Nat. Life and Accident Ins. Co., Fourth Floor Olivia Building.

C. O. Stull	$0 50	J E Ellison	50
W D. Bruce	50	Anderson	40
R Whist	50	F. Muegge	25
E R Cole	50	P E Kolb	25
Joe Flato	25	M R Adams	50
J E Adams	50	Bessie Diggs	25
J L Cung'w	25		
		Total	$5 15

Union Indemnity Co., 401-5 Pierce Bldg.

Lena Ebersohl	$0 25	A L Kovack	50
B E Brown	50	Saro Almstedt	25
H C Hoff'n	50	Frank Bruner	50
E S Savannah	50	M J Pitric	50
C V Ayers	50	Regina T King	25
R G Church Jr	1 00		
		Total	$5 25

Baltimore Shirt Co., Inc., 522 Olive St.

Cash	$1 00
Total	$1 00

St. Louis Star, Printing Department, 10th floor, Star Bldg.

G Trapp	$0 50	W Bilsinger	1 00
D Keenoy	1 00	L Rice	1 00
H Hilgeman	50	Scheuermann	1 00
Stauwich	1 00	H D	1 00
M Keenoy	1 00	A P G	1 00
Quan	1 00	H Sylow	50
J Diebold	1 00	W Langeneher	1 00
McSkimming	1 00	Guil	50
J Wulff	1 00	Neal	1 00
C Christman	1 00	B Keenoy	1 00
A Walther	1 00	G Martignon	1 00
G Fath	1 00	Garesch	1 00
Blakemore	50	C Robertson	1 00
R Volz	1 00	Larry	50
Albers	50		
M Hannon	1 00	Total	$27 50
E Rovane	1 00		

The Garlock Packing Co., Room 207, 133 S. 11th st.

F Erlandson	$1 00	H Oltmann	50
R Brown	50	H Draeger	1 00
A Cosgrove	50	G De Rose	50
E Gerwiner	50	Von Gruden	1 00
C Aschentrop	50		
M Rechtin	50	Total	$6 50

Lambert-Tigges Motor Co., 4035 Lindell bl.

H Lohrum	$0 50	E Reihl	10
H Powell	25	E Engle	25
O M Denze	50	T Raus	50
Alice Williams	25	H Cole	25
W I McKelvey	50	E Bennett	25
Dolph Moore	50	F Battle	25
T Sipp	25	C J Ocheltree	25
E Stebbins	25	L Piewtrow'a	25
L E McLane	25	Fred Rausch	25
Chas Lipp	25	G W Ligges	50
A Blume	25	Cash	25
E Masberger	25		
Chas Lynch	25	Total	$7 60
Frank Wasek	25		

Municipal Garage, S. E. corner 12th and Clark av.

Emil Pallme	$0 50	J A Moore	50
L Arning	50	G Ricknagle	50
H Miller	50	Paul Roberts	50
Geo Compton	50	John Baier	50
Tom Collins	50	Edward Wray	50
Wm Rapp	50	James Perrin	50
L W Horn	50	A McGovern	50
E L Bauer	1 00	G Tuboesing	50
Geo Trider	50	W D Traber	1 00
Fred Wolf	50		
John Krey	50	Total	$11 50
E E Williams	50		

Police Department, Tenth District.

J McManus	$1 00	E D Linga	50
J P McDonnell	1 00	John G Voss	25
J Duggan	1 00	John Furrer	25
J J McCarthy	1 00	T B Byrnes	25
F Carbrey	50	Belrose	50
John Hynes	50	Finan	25
R L Ball	25	S Collins	25
J J Deurbey	50	L W McDon'd	1 00
F Mulligan	50	M C Ganley	50
Bob Antram	50	W Shinall	50
T Frerking	50	J O'Shaugn'y	50
Philip Josias	50	John Corley	50
C Drier	50	D H Luley	50
E C Walter	50	C Phillips	50
R Fitzgerald	1 00	F Schoor	50
R Whitworth	50	A Asaley	50
Dan O'Meara	1 00	J W Cassilly	50
F Foerster	1 00	J B Nugent	50
W F Wannoff	50	R Johnson	50
J. T. Puleckin	50	A J Dolan	50
J. Brockman	50	Jas Lalloy	50
B Benson	25	John Kelloy	50
H. Cornish	25	Dan Roach	50
L Z Shelton	50	Earl Duncan	50
Lieut Albert		E E Gonzales	50
Helmbolt	1 00	John Hayes	50
F Kaufin	25	J J Moriarity	50
O McAllister	25	Harry Shea	50
M Egan	50	V F Sheehan	50
A Forrest	50	Chas Miller	50
Wm Cullen	50	W E Meehan	50
J Whepple	25	John Coll	50
Wm Ganley	25	George Rose	50
C McDonald	25	W B Wasmer	50
Jere Flynn	25	Dan Murphy	50
Wm Carmody	25	E O'Connor	50
J G Durf	50		
		Total	$36 25

Peoples Motorbus Co. of St. Louis, 3615-27 Forest Park av.

G. Buechler	$ 25	A. Y. Russell	10
R. D Nester	10		
		Total	$ 45

Union Quarry and Const. Co., 4687 Natural Bridge av.

H F Steininger	$1 00	O Boney	50
Cash	50	C Kraschew'y	50
J O Goldsmith	1 00	F Grady	50
Wm Horacw.	1 00	D Bauer	50
V Schultz	50	O Griffin	50
R F Sitner	50	T P Scotw'k	25
W O'Dowd	50	Howdeshell	25
L Skrainka	2 00	H Palarvzak	25
G J Kelleher	1 00	F Byllington	1 00
H N Holt	1 00	H Presnells	25
C Sinaleton	1 00	W J Broderick	50
W J Skrainka	1 00	W Swoboda	1 00
C F Schnfuer	50	W Garvin	1 00
Cash	25	C Elder	25
T Broderick	1 00	C Bingo	1 00
McIntosh	25	W Karles	1 00
Joe Leahn	1 00	S L Huchins	25
Frank Roun	1 00	Pete Fleet Jr.	25
A Barney	50	J Bonney	50
Cash	1 00	Carl Patrinick	50
L Kuhepper	1 00		
J Nolkoch	25	Total	$29 00

J. S. Freund, 314 N. 6th st.

J L. Freund	$2 00	Miss M Tipton	25
F E Jacobs	1 00	Mrs. H Lake	25
N Scheer	1 00	Mrs. U Bott'p	25
Earl Lewis	1 00	Miss A Martin	25
E Morganstern	1 00	Mrs. B Smith	25
J. Schneider	1 00	Miss B Deane	50
Miss E Poe	1 00	L Frichtel	50
Miss A Stan's	25	Jos Ball	25
Miss M Tricka	25		
Miss J Reed	25	Total	$12 25
W A Thomas	1 00		

Robt. E. Ahern, 2091-92 Railway Exch.

F. E. Palmer	$1 00	R. E. Cameron	1 00
F. Livingston	1 00	C L. Petersen	1 00
R. E. Ahern	1 00		
C. B. Irish	1 00		
			$6 00

Mrs. Mary Signorella, 1123 Cass av.

Schoenbein	$ 20	Cash	60
Kamp	20		
			$1 00

Dennison-Loepker Elec. Co., 935 Syndicate Trust Bldg.

A. H. Loepker	$5 00	J. H. Kink	1 00
E. M. Dennison	5 00	J. W. Stege	2 00
J. Weber	1 00	Joe Kennedy	1 00
G. Zell	1 00	O. A. B.	1 00
J. Meinert	1 00	Otis Hettich	1 00
W Jokenst	1 00		
Chas. Ross	1 00		
			$22 00

Coliseum Realty Co., 2606 Washington av.

H. F. Maichel	$1 00	M. Strathmann	50
F. J. Gates	2 00	T. P. Bates	5 00
Joe V.	1 00		
			$9 50

Chicago & Alton R. R., 326 N. Broadway

C. Bluestone	$2 00	A. Gwynn	50
H. A. Bauer	1 00	J. Freeland	50
A. Beveridge	1 00	M. J. Noonan	50
A. F. Knapp	1 00		
			$6 50

Henry L. Doherty & Co., 610 Boatmen's Bk. Bldg.

C. H. Kroll	$0 25	W. S. M.	5 00
J. G. H. Sr.	1 00	Cash	2 00
W. J. C.	1 00		
		Total	$9 25

Menzies Shoe Co., 1724 Washington av.

B. Straub	$ 25	Menzies S. Co.	5 00
M. Hampel	25		
S. D. Nichols	5 00	Total	$10 50

Wm McDonald Constr. Co., 1311 Syndicate Trust Bldg.

M. McDonald	$2 00	Joe McGrath	1 00
J. Coleman	1 00	H. A. Cohen	1 00
R. E. McD.	1 00	H. C. Gall	1 00
V. Mossa	1 00	H. Snitzer	50
M. Miller	1 00	W. MacD.	1 00
Dave Swan	50		
H. Hueser	1 00	Total	$12 00

Premier Linen Service Co., 2918-24 Easton.

Roy Gaskell	$ 25	Pearl Hall	10
E. Coyner	10	Braxton	25
M. O'Hearn	10	P. Farrer	10
V. Grice	10	M. Herman	10
Betty Parker	10	A. Viethenthal	10
Eliz. Davis	10	Premier Ldy.	5 00
Louis Tate	10		
Stella Jones	10	Total	$6 60

Metropolitan Life Ins. Co., 230-36 Missouri Bldg.

C. C. LePage	$ 25	R. M. Odien	25
Bella Polunsky	25	H. A. Rhine	50
A. Weinbracht	50	O. T. Brunett	50
L. M. Gilbert	25	L. H. Kohn	50
J. Flaherty	25	H. Packman	50
M. Swehla	25	L. B. Harris	25
L. Lademacher	25	E. W. Opfer	1 00
M. Meligan	25		
E. J. Smith	25	Total	$6 00

Polar Wave Ice & Fuel Co. Branch H, 2620 Walnut st.

W Einspainer	$ 50	H Ortwerth	25
F Braun	50	J Aubuchon	50
E Kreas	50	R Butler	25
C Nauce	50	R Edmund	25
C Kline	25	O Hauck	75
W Robinson	25		
F Eyeman	25	Total	$4 50

Hanley & Kinsella Coffee & Spice Co., 800 Chouteau av.

W. C. Baskar	$1 00	H. Hagenbroh	25
J. C. Durran	25	M Kallemeier	25
W. Cleary	25	A. Bourland	25
G. Timmort	25	C. J. Aanton	25
R Ditchman	25	S. Bauer	25
A. Vinsak	25	C. D. Paull	25
H. Lorenz	25	Julia Rimino	25
L. Lebow	50	C. H. B.	50
W C. Meyer	25		$5 50

AFTER CHRISTMAS APPAREL SALE

FAMOUS-BARR CO.'S
BASEMENT ECONOMY STORE
We Give and Redeem Eagle Stamps
Operated by The May Dept. Stores Co.

Regardless of Cost! Regardless of Loss! Every Garment Must Go! Be First to Choose and Enjoy Choice Selection!

SALE STARTS FRIDAY 9 A. M!

DRESSES

CREPE FROCKS
At Irresistible Savings!
Attractively styled Dresses for the miss or matron! Fashioned of lovely crepe . . . at an economy price! New colors. Women's, misses' sizes. $5.95

SILK DRESSES
For Thrift-Wise Women and Misses!
A most unusual group offered at a price which makes it possible to buy several! Ingenious fashion details! Wanted styles! $3.95

2 & 3 Pc. Knitted Suits
Offered at a Surprisingly Low Price!
Sporty knit Suits that are smart for daytime wear! In a wide assortment of solid colors, patterns and contrasting trims! $6.95

Larger-Size DRESSES
Formerly $16.50!
$12.95
Smart styles . . . fashioned of crepe chiffon, lace of brocaded velvet! Models that are especially becoming to the larger woman!

Larger-Size DRESSES
Formerly $9.75!
$6.00
Youthful modes for the larger woman! Nicely made of soft silk crepe! Slenderizing styles! Black and colors.

TOTS' APPAREL
COATS AND COAT SETS
Ranging in Price From $5.95 to $16.50
DEDUCT 1/4
From Price at Time of Purchase!

COATS

FUR-TRIMMED COATS
Don't miss this opportunity to get a "better" Coat at an unusually low price! Trimmed with Skunk . . . Wolf . . . Pahmi . . . Muskrat! $35

WINTER COATS
Exceptionally Offered!
$22.95
Beautifully trimmed with black, long-hair furs! Huge collars and cuffs. Fitted models! Mostly black.

Fur-Trimmed COATS
Unheard-of Value . . . at
$18.75
You'll profit by selecting your Coat from this varied group! Fitted and semi-fitted models! Longer skirt lengths. Rich fur trims!

Richly-Furred COATS
Exceptional at
$45.00
Lavish furs . . . used as collar and cuff trims. Fashioned of warm, supple fabrics! New modes! Black and wanted colors.

WINTER COATS
At a Ridiculously Low Price!
$13.95
Seldom have Coat values surpassed this one! Well-tailored Coats in styles you'll like! Some fur trimmed.

LARGER-SIZE COATS

BROADCLOTH COATS
$37.95
Black and brown Coats in styles made for the larger woman! Semi-fitted lines! Generously fur trimmed. Sizes 41¼ to 51¼ and 44½ to 52½.

NEW BLACK COATS
$22.95
Smartly styled Coats with black fur collars and cuffs! Becoming models! Silk crepe linings! Sizes 41¼ to 51¼ and 44½ and 52½.
Basement Economy Store

DRESSES

Trans. Velvet Frocks
Featured at Remarkable Savings!
Charming Frocks for dining or dancing . . . in semi-formal styles! Also chic afternoon Dresses. 1931 styles! Women's and misses' sizes. $12.95

Crepe & Satin Dresses
Economically Priced at . . .
Fashionable models in lustrous satins and silk crepes! Cleverly styled! In black and pleasing new shades. Women's and misses' sizes. $9.00

Print & Crepe Dresses
At an Amazing Saving!
Just arrived . . . new Midwinter styles developed in colorful prints and crepes! Delightfully trimmed! Women's and misses' sizes. $6.95

GIRLS' APPAREL
Greatly Reduced!

PILE FABRIC COATS
Gray or brown Coats with large roll collars. Cotton suede linings. $11

BROADCLOTH COATS
Also tweed. With large fur collars and cuffs. Some straightline, others with capes. $10

WINTER COATS
Of broadcloth or fleece with fur collars. Also tailored belted models. Special . . $8.75

FUR-TRIMMED COATS
Straightline and belted models. Of tweed, broadcloth or snowflake. Some with capes. Special . . $6.95

FLAT CREP DRESSES
One and two piece styles. In brown, black, red and green. Sizes 7 to 14. $3.55

VELVET DRESSES
Also of wool and crepe. Short or long sleeves. Sizes 7 to 14. Priced $2.99
Basement Economy Store

FUR COATS AT SAVINGS OF ¼ TO ⅓ . . . NOW PRICED $61.77 TO $168.75!

The End of the Year Brings This
SUPREME CLOTHING VALUE
600 Suits . . . Overcoats!
PRICED TO PROVIDE COMPELLING SAVINGS!

A most remarkable event . . . offering a specially arranged group of this season's higher-priced garments at a price St. Louis men will appreciate! Every suit and overcoat smartly styled . . . in the season's new materials! Models for men and young men of every taste! An attractive choice of patterns and colors for every preference!

$12.99

SUITS:
Long-Wearing Worsteds
Double & Single Breasted Styles!
All-Wool Serges!
Tans! Grays! Blues!
SIZES 34 TO 42

OVERCOATS:
Double-Breasted Styles!
Thru & Thru or Rug-Back Materials! Also Fleeces!
Brown, Tan and Gray Novelty Patterns!
SIZES 34 TO 44
Basement Economy Store

STORE CLOSED CHRISTMAS DAY . . . THESE SPLENDID VALUES READY FRIDAY AT 9!

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COAT

ORIGINALLY $35 TO $
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Fabrics of the broadcloth type, majority with fur collars and cuffs
Women's and Misses' Sizes

ORIGINALLY $49.75 AND
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Coats trimmed with Fitch, Beaver, Cara furs. Plenty of black.
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ORIGINALLY $89.50 TO
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ORIGINALLY $125 to $
$96
Coat of Kashmirita, Ermina, Bokha Oriola, handsomely trimmed
Women's and Misses' Sizes

Sports Ensemb
and Smart Spo
Frocks
Originally $39.75 to $
LESS 1/2
Sports apparel includes Tailore and semi-formal styles trimmed with Knit Suits and one-piece Frocks weight woolens; sizes 14 to 42.

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All Specially
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Special
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Misses' 12 Women's Sizes
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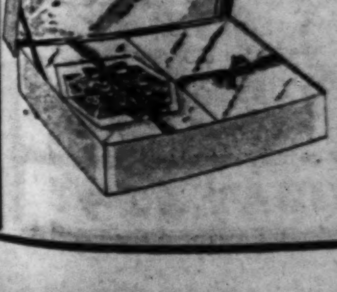

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STARTING FRIDAY...FAMOUS-BARR CO.'S AFTER-CHRISTMAS SALE OF APPAREL

COATS

ORIGINALLY $35 TO $45

$24.50

Fabrics of the broadcloth type, majority in black. All with fur collars and cuffs.

Women's and Misses' Sizes

ORIGINALLY $49.75 AND $59.75

$38

Coats trimmed with Fitch, Beaver, Caracul and other furs. Plenty of black.

Misses,' Women's and Larger Sizes

ORIGINALLY $89.50 TO $110

$66

Coats trimmed with Skunk, Beaver, Wolf, Fitch and Fox. Black and colors.

Misses,' Women's and Larger Sizes

ORIGINALLY $125 to $150

$96

Coat of Kashmirita, Ermina, Bokhara Broadtail, Oriola, handsomely trimmed.

Women's and Misses' Sizes

Fourth Floor

Sports Ensembles and Smart Sports Frocks

Originally $39.75 to $225

LESS **1/2**

Sports apparel includes Tailored Suits, and semi-formal styles trimmed with fur . . . Knit Suits and one-piece Frocks of lightweight woolens; sizes 14 to 42.

Fourth Floor

NEW FROCKS

All Specially Purchased for This Event

Special Value

$25

Crepes and prints for daytime . . . and charming evening styles. Misses' sizes 12 to 20 . . . women's sizes 34 to 50.

Special Value

$35

Distinctly of the better type . . . for daytime, some evening, and Sunday night.

Misses' 12 to 20
Women's Sizes 34 to 50

$16.75 Value

$12.75

Daytime frocks of flat and canton crepe . . . Sunday night styles of chiffon.

Sizes 12 to 44. Also Little Women's Sizes

Fourth Floor

STATIONERY

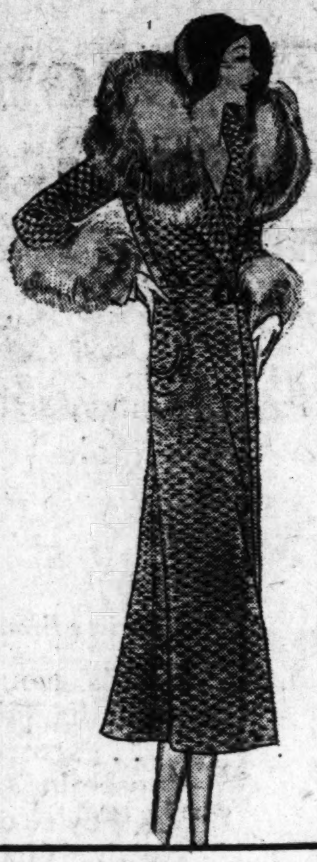
Slightly Soiled or Marred in the Holiday Displays . . at Savings of

1/3 *and* **1/2**

Only the boxes are slightly soiled . . . the contents are perfect. Distinctive styles . . . many sizes, finishes and tints. Stock up on your needs!

Main Floor Balcony

The Widely Anticipated Event That Is Noted for Its Extensive Selections and Decisive Savings on Fashionable Apparel for All Occasions



Shagmoor Coats

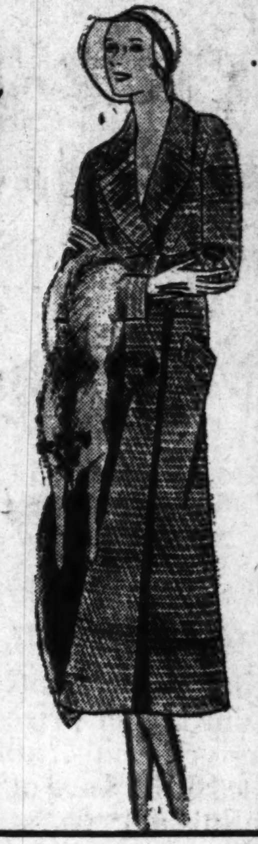
Originally $35 to $198.50 . . . at Savings of

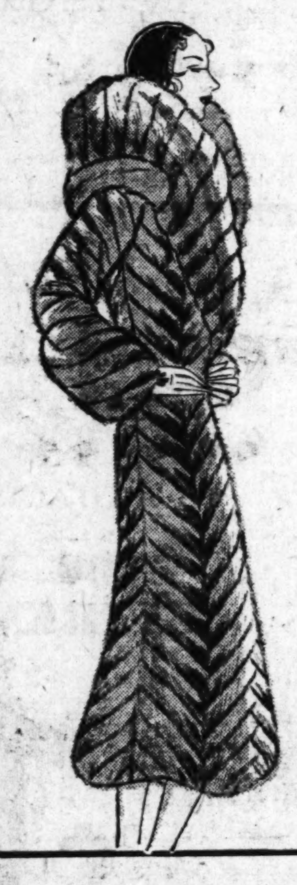
1/3

Misses,' Women's and Larger Women's Sizes

All our Winter Shagmoors included in this offering. Plain and luxuriously fur-trimmed models in these nationally advertised Coats, renowned for their excellence of tailoring and beauty of fabric. Shown here exclusively in St. Louis.

Fourth Floor





FUR COATS

Offered at a Definite Saving of

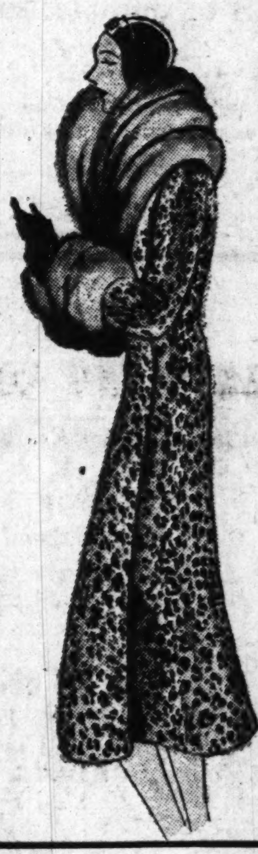
1/3

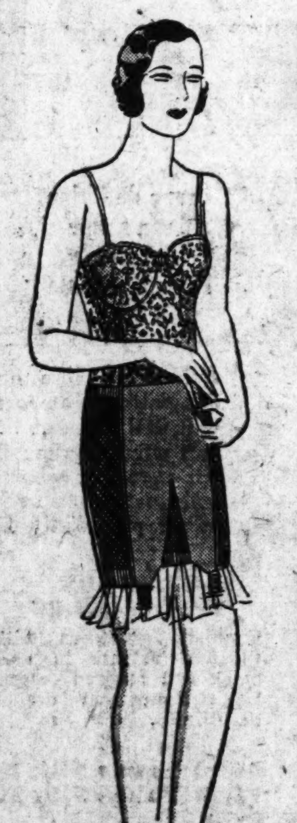
Originally Priced, $500 to $1500

Included are all of our most beautiful Coats . . . of mink, Oriental ermine, caracul, Jap mink, Persian lamb, logwood and Alaska seal . . . plain and contrastingly trimmed. A group affording choice of the most luxurious furs at savings even more remarkable considering our usual value-giving! Women's and misses' sizes.

$185 to $225 Muskrat Coats $150
$235 to $275 Hudson Seal *(Dyed Muskrat)* **Coats, $185**
$295 to $350 Jap Weasel Coats $250
Fur Scarfs, originally $35 to $295 . . . . Less 1/4

Fourth Floor





Lily of France Samples

The Smart, Popular Models in an Extraordinary Offering That Starts Friday

$8, $10, $12 and $14 Values

$5

Girdles, step-ins and duosettes in slim princess lines . . . also medium top girdles . . . in exquisite brocades and knitted elastics. Step-ins of all elastic in short and medium lengths. Not all sizes in each style.

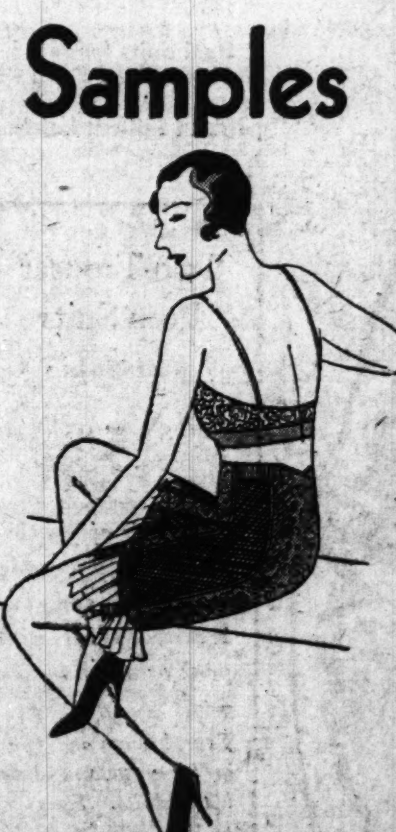
$15, $18, $20 and $25 Kinds

$10

Duosettes and step-ins, both imported and domestic, in lovely satin brocades, brocades with lacy tops . . . and all-over lace models. Step-ins of elastic and semi-elastic with French faille. Not all sizes in each style.

Our expert fitters will assist you in choosing the exact styles your figure requires.

Fifth Floor



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We Give and Redeem Eagle Stamps—Few Restricted Articles Excepted

FAMOUS-BARR CO.

OPERATED BY THE MAY DEPT. STORES CO.—STORES IN ST. LOUIS, LOS ANGELES, CLEVELAND, DENVER, AKRON AND BALTIMORE

FROCKS

ORIGINALLY $16.75 TO $25

$7.50

Daytime Frocks of Canton, flat crepe and satin, mostly dark colors.

Misses,' Women's and Larger Sizes

ORIGINALLY $29.75 TO $35

$17

Crepes, satins and velvets, the majority for daytime. Some evening Frocks.

Misses,' Women's and Larger Sizes

ORIGINALLY $39.75 TO $45

$22

Limited number of daytime and evening Frocks, distinctive in style.

Misses,' Women's and Larger Sizes

ORIGINALLY $49.50 TO $75

$25

Elegant Gowns for daytime, dinner and evening . . . black, navy and prints.

Sizes 34 to 40

Fourth Floor

Frocks and Gowns Coats and Evening Wraps

Originally $75 to $395

LESS **1/3** *or* **1/2**

Special groups of Frocks and Gowns from the Costume Salon and Misses' Style Shop. The Coats are distinctive styles, richly trimmed. Velvet and metallic Wraps in misses' sizes.

Fourth Floor

SPORTS APPAREL

Frocks and Knit Suits at Decisive Reductions

$12.75 and $16.75 Kinds

$8.75

Frocks and 3-piece suits of wool crepe, micropoint, tweed and wool shantung.

Sizes 14 to 38

Originally $16.75 to $25

$13.75

Two and three piece boucle and wool knit suits . . . one and two piece frocks in light wools.

Sizes 14 to 40

$29.75 to $39.75 Kinds

$19

Sports suits of zephyr wools, jersey, wool crepes and ostrich cloths.

Sizes 12 to 38

Fourth Floor

Girls' Coats

$16.75 to $19.75 Values . **$10.95**

Pile fabric, squirrelaine and pacalama Coats in smart tailored models . . . with suede belts and matching buttons. Sizes 7 to 10.

$7.95 Coat Sets, $5

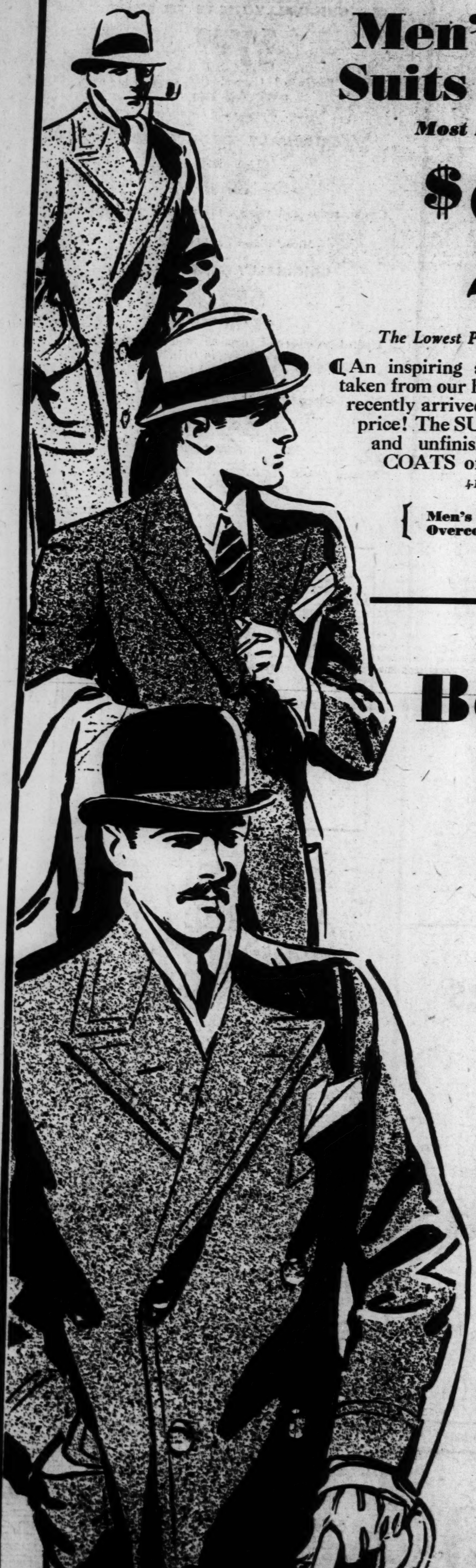
Warm, comfortable Coats of chinchilla with convertible collars. Tailored and brass button models. Sizes 7 to 10. With matching berets.

Fifth Floor

STORE CLOSED CHRISTMAS . . . REGULAR STORE HOURS WILL BE RESUMED FRIDAY . . . 9 TO 5:30 DAILY . . . 6 P. M. SATURDAY

Starting Friday...Famous-Barr Co.'s After-Christmas Sale of Clothing

Unquestionably the Season's Foremost Event .. Bringing Choice of Thousands of Garments Taken From Our Regular Stocks and Substantially Reduced in Price! It's an Exceptional Opportunity to Invest Christmas Money and Gift Certificates in Clothes of Excellent Quality



Men's 2-Trouser Suits & Overcoats

Most Extraordinary Value at

$28

The Lowest Price in Many Years for Such Quality!

An inspiring assortment! Hundreds of garments taken from our higher-priced groups and hundreds of recently arrived Suits...all at this remarkably low price! The SUITS are of long-wearing worsteds and unfinished worsteds . . . the OVERCOATS of durable, smart overcoatings!

4-Piece Sports Suits Also Included.

[Men's Two-Trouser Suits and Overcoats. Extreme Value at $33]

Two-Trouser* Suits and Overcoats

Formerly $65 and $75

$54

Society Brand, Fruhauf and Goodman Suss makes in this correctly styled group of hand-tailored garments!

**A Few 1-Trouser Suits Included.*

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$85 to $100 Overcoats

LESS **20%**

Burberrys from England! Luxurious Montagnacs!

SIZES TO FIT ALL MEN 34 TO 52

Men's 2-Trouser* Suits & Overcoats

Formerly $44 and $50

$39

Society Brand . . . Fruhauf . . . Goodman Suss . . . and Others

This group brings exceptional choice of rich, long-wearing fabrics in the wanted colors and patterns . . . garments tailored by foremost makers. You're certain to find what you want here . . . and they're clothes you'll enjoy choosing . . . and wearing. Get acquainted with them at these savings!

**1-Trouser Suits Are Included.*

[$36 and $40 Learbury Suits, with Extra Trousers........ $28]

Second Floor

Starting Friday . . . After-Christmas Sale of

Boys' Clothing

Large Special Groups to Make Selection Easy . . . Savings of Decisive Importance! No Doubt About It . . . This Is the Time to Buy . . . Even With Future Needs in View!

TWO-TROUSER KNICKER SUITS

In Three Extreme Value-Giving Groups!

$10.75 Value *Sizes 8 to 14*	**$12.75 Value** *Sizes 8 to 14*	**$20 Value** *Sizes 9 to 15*
$Q.95	$9.95	$15.95

Real Suits for real fellows . . . at savings that parents will appreciate! Correctly styled and splendidly tailored of excellent fabrics in popular grays, tans and browns. Single and double breasted models with two pairs of full-cut knickers.

Two-Trouser Prep Suits

$20 Value

$15.95

Hundreds of youths' Suits afford wide choice of single-breasted types with peak or notch lapels.

Tans, browns and grays in fancy pattern durable fabrics. Sizes 15 to 19.

OVERCOATS

In Three Splendid Groups

$17.50 Values........	$13.95
$20 and $22.50 Values..	$16.95
$25 and $28.50 Values..	$19.95

Swagger looking Coats . . . double-breasted box, ulsterette and half belt styles . . . made of long wearing heavy and medium weight fabrics. Choice of rich browns, tans and gray mixtures. Sizes 11 to 20 but not in each group.

Juniors' Overcoats

Sizes 4 to 10

$10.75 Value	**$7.95**
$12.75 Value	**$8.95**
$15.00 Value	**$10.95**

Second Floor

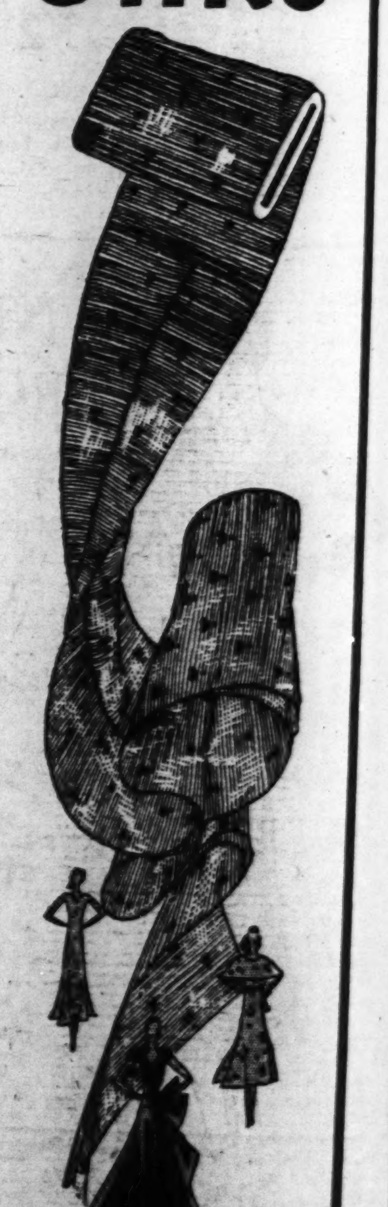
THE AFTER-CHRISTMAS

Sale of Silks

STARTS FRIDAY

5000 Yards . . . EXTREME VALUE

$1.10 YARD



Crepe de Chine	Printed Chiffon
Satin Crepe	Printed Crepe
Flat Crepe	Colored Taffeta
Plain Georgette	Plain Chiffon
Canton Crepe	Printed Georgette

Here's value news and style news of compelling interest to women who sew! Unusual values . . . for they're all qualities that would ordinarily be priced much more. An excellent assortment . . . in the season's smartest colors and patterns. Be thrifty . . . select plentifully for frocks and lingerie!

$3.98 Silk Velvets, $2.66

Exquisite, lustrous Silk Chiffon Velvets in rich black and favored colors. Lightweight that drapes beautifully.

2000 Yards Silks, Yd., 88c

Plain crepe . . . printed crepe . . . printed chiffon . . . broadcloths . . . and others. All small lots.

1000 Yards Silk Remnants, Yd. 50c
1500 Yards Silk Remnants, Yd. 75c

Third Floor

50c Fancy Socks

For Boys and Girls

35c

Many patterns and colorings to blend with Winter clothes . . . and serviceable qualities! ¾ and ⅝ lengths . . . of mercerized yarns and some with rayon mixtures. Sizes 6 to 9½ in the group. Main Floor

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OPERATED BY THE MAY DEP'T STORES CO. . . . WE GIVE AND REDEEM EAGLE STAMPS

JUDGE HALL CUTS MARKET WIDENING BENEFITS $150,000

Announces Decision on 400 Exceptions of Property Owners to Improvement Levies.

HEARINGS BEGAN IN OCTOBER, 1929

Assessment Against American Hotel and Theater and Grand Opera House Reduced $27,000.

Circuit Judge Hall today rendered his decision in the Market street widening case, the result of more than a year's work. He began hearing exceptions of property owners Oct. 8, 1929.

About 900 exceptions were filed by property owners who objected to the benefit assessments against their holdings, as being too high. Of these exceptions, about 650 came to a hearing before Judge Hall, the other 250 being dismissed by the property owners voluntarily.

In about 400 of the cases heard, Judge Hall made some reduction in the benefit judgments. He estimates that the total of the benefit assessments was reduced by $150,000.

Damage Claims Overruled.

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JUDGE HALL CUTS MARKET WIDENING BENEFITS $150,000

Announces Decision on 400 Exceptions of Property Owners to Improvement Levies.

HEARINGS BEGAN IN OCTOBER, 1929

Assessment Against American Hotel and Theater and Grand Opera House Reduced $27,000.

Circuit Judge Hall today rendered his decision in the Market street widening case, the result of more than a year's work. He began hearing exceptions of property owners Oct. 8, 1929.

About 900 exceptions were filed by property owners who objected to the benefit assessments against their holdings, as being too high. Of these exceptions, about 650 came to a hearing before Judge Hall, the other 250 being dismissed by the property owners voluntarily.

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Tells of Recovering Bones Of Slain Czar and Family

Gen. Janin, Czech Commander in Siberia in Great War, Writes Account of Their Removal From Russia.

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PARIS, Dec. 24.—In a letter written in his own hand Gen. Maurice Janin today gave a complete story of how the remains and relics of the Imperial Russian family came into his possession, how those entrusted with them were shadowed by Russian revolutionists, and how eventually they were carried safely out of the country.

From his chateau at Serre Izard, near Mens, in the Department of Isere, the aging General, who was Commander-in-Chief of the Czech and Allied Forces in Siberia during the World War, gave part of the story which is told more fully in his forthcoming book.

"The Imperial Russian family," he wrote, "had disappeared at Ekaterinburg on the night of July 16 or 17, 1918. On July 25 anti-bolshevik forces, grouped around the Czech troops, occupied that town.

"Pierre Gillard, former tutor of the young Czarevitch, was there, and with several others he began a search of the vicinity to determine the fate of the Romanoffs. An examining magistrate named Serguief, who was replaced several months afterward by Nicholas Sokoloff, was designated to carry the investigation through.

"Little by little it was established who had committed the assassinations and how they had done it. Not far from Ekaterinburg the searchers discovered the place where the bodies had been dismembered and burned with the aid of sulphuric ac[illegible]. and gasoline.

"In a mine pit they found bits of charred clothing, fragments of bone and a ring finger which was later partly identified as that of the Empress.

"During the Kolchak government Sokoloff continued his investigation despite the hostile attitude of certain Ministers. He was assisted by Gen. Diedrichs until the General became Commander in Chief. I too, often furnished assistance.

"In the autumn of 1919, when the collapse of the Government at Omsk became imminent, Sokoloff and I moved toward the East, taking with us everything that he had discovered. He told me that he wanted to reach Europe, and he traveled in a train protected by allied troops. The next time I saw him was in March, 1920, at Harbin, where Gen. Diedrichs, after resigning as Commander in Chief, had established headquarters in the general retreat.

"There was much uneasiness in the region and Diedrichs told me he wanted to get the Romanoff remains into the possession of the Grand Duke Nicholas as quickly as possible. He had asked British representatives to take charge of this material, but they were refused when they asked authority from their Government."

It was then, Janin wrote, that Gen. Diedrichs asked him to take charge of the relics and he accepted out of his own friendship for the Czar.

"Diedrichs," the statement continues, "brought me three valises containing documents and various other objects in the night. It was dark and he said it had seemed to him and to those who accompanied him that they had been discovered and followed. The next day he brought me a fourth valise, or to speak more exactly a strong box containing human remains."

The General said his inventory showed the valises to contain 311 articles. He brought them from Shanghai by steamship and reached Paris in June, 1920. He retained the articles at his estate until October, 1920, when he turned them over to a representative of the Grand Duke Nicholas.

"I have no knowledge whatsoever of what has become of those relics," the General wrote.

FRANCO-ITALIAN NAVAL PACT COMES TO END NEXT MONTH

Renewal Unlikely Unless Rome Compromises Demand for Parity.

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PARIS, Dec. 24.—The short naval holiday between France and Italy, which expires next month, will not be renewed on the same basis by France unless there is some immediate hope of settlement of the deadlock created by Italy's demand for naval parity with this country.

If this hope is not realized, it is understood, France will give up the effort to come to terms with Italy, and will pursue actively a tonnage agreement with England by which France will agree not to build more than half the British tonnage, but, taking advantage of the safety clause in the London naval treaty, will agree to this only so long as she regards herself as not menaced. If France takes this course she will be able to sign the section of the agreement specifically limiting fleets, and Italy will be isolated among the five Powers which met at London.

This solution of the deadlock which arose at London when Italy insisted on parity with France has in fact been under discussion for a long time and has its weight in all naval calculations here and in Rome. It was discussed in Rome when Hugh M. Gibson, United States Ambassador to Belgium, was there this fall, and was discussed again when Robert Leslie Craigie, chief of the American department of the British Foreign Office, visited Rome recently and conferred with Dino Grandi, Italian Foreign Minister. Craigie has just passed through Paris, where he had conversations with Rene Massigli, chief French expert at the London naval conference and at recent naval discussions at Geneva.

SEVERAL KILLED IN BURMA IN TAX-RESISTING RIOTS

Disturbers Reported to Have Attacked Several Villages in Conflict With Police.

By the Associated Press.

RANGOON, Burma, Dec. 24.—Several persons have been killed and many wounded in the Tharawaddy and Insein districts of Upper Burma by rioters who attacked several villages in the course of a tax-resisting campaign, according to reports received here today.

Four native officials were killed in the villages, in one of which the rioters were reported to be still fighting with police this morning.

The outbreak thus far appears to be confined to the two districts. Officials here have sent heavy reinforcements to the affected regions.

J. C. Penney Co. Bonus $536,778.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The J. C. Penney Co. will distribute its annual Christmas bonus fund of $536,778 to 6671 employes at the close of business tonight. It will be shared by all those in the employ of the company on Jan. 1, last.

FRENCH COURT DECIDES FOR FATHER OF AMERICAN BOY

Christian Gross, U. S. Diplomatic Officer, to Have Custody of Child Part Time.

By the Associated Press.

GRENOBLE, France, Dec. 24.—The Grenoble tribunal yesterday decided the custody of Peter Gross, 7-year-old son of an American diplomatic officer, by ruling that the mother should permit the boy's father to keep him part of the time.

In a separation by mutual consent, in 1928, of the father, Christian Gross, and Mrs. Virginia Harrison Gross, the custody of Peter was given to Mrs. Gross and the custody of a daughter, Barbara, to Mr. Gross. They agreed further that each parent might have the custody of the other child for limited periods under certain conditions.

Gross, a diplomatic officer in the service of the United States, brought the action decided yesterday charging that Mrs. Gross had refused to permit Peter to visit him. The tribunal ruled that the father should have his son with him eight days in January, 15 days at Easter and the entire month of August. Counsel for Mrs. Gross contended that the Grenoble court was not competent to hear the case, but the court ruled that it was.

Mrs. Gross, who now lives at the Chateau de Rivoiranche, 25 miles from Grenoble, is the daughter of Francis B. Harrison, former American Governor-General in the Philippines.

CAROL ASKS EVERYBODY BUT HELEN TO HIS PARTY

Plans for Christmas Visit of King Alexander of Jugo-Slavia Also Abandoned.

By the Associated Press.

BUDAPEST, Rumania, Dec. 24.—Pictures of general discord in the Rumanian royal household are drawn in dispatches reaching here from Bucharest. King Alexander of Jugo-Slavia, a brother-in-law of Queen Helen, was to visit King Carol this week, but it is understood that Dowager Queen Marie wired him not to come, fearing that Carol's nerves would not stand any further rubbing on the subject of his estrangement from Queen Helen.

One report here is that Carol asked Helen, who has refused to become reconciled with him, to leave the country, but that she demurred since Michael, her son, would remain in Rumania and she felt it her right to be with him. Carol granted her plea, only to plan a Christmas party at Sinaia Palace, to which nearly everybody of importance in Rumania, including Michael, has been asked, except Helen.

Queen Sophie of Greece asked for permission to visit Queen Helen, but it has been refused, it is said here. Her brother, the former King George of Greece, will spend Christmas day with her, however.

RAIL EXECUTIVES FAIL TO AGREE ON MERGER PLANS

Heads of Four Systems Confer in New York and Announce "Further Meetings Will Be Held."

LEHIGH VALLEY CONTROL DISCUSSED

Disposition of Wheeling & Lake Erie in Dispute — New York Central to Get Lackawanna.

By Leased Wire from the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Failure to reach a final conclusion was reported yesterday by the executives of four Eastern railroad systems who held a conference in Pennsylvania Station to discuss consolidation.

Those attending the conference were Patrick Crowley and A. H. Harris of the New York Central, W. W. Atterbury and Elisha Lee of the Pennsylvania, O. P. and M. J. Van Sweringen of the Nickel Plate, Daniel Willard and George M. Shriver of the Baltimore & Ohio and J. J. Bernet of the Chesapeake & Ohio, which is controlled by the Nickel Plate interests. They issued the following statement:

"The conference adjourned without reaching any final conclusion. Further meetings will be held."

Among the matters discussed, it is understood, was a proposal of the Pennsylvania to sell control of the Lehigh Valley to the Chesapeake & Ohio for cash and trackage rights over the Nickel Plate along Lake Erie. The Nickel Plate and Chesapeake & Ohio are part of the Van Sweringen system. Another plan under consideration is the proposition of the New York Central to acquire full control of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western and to sell its minority interest in the Reading to the Baltimore & Ohio.

Four Great Systems.

The general plan is the consolidation of all Eastern railroads into four great systems, as suggested by the Interstate Commerce Commission. As the heads of four large systems were at yesterday's meeting, financial circles buzzed with rumors that a final agreement was near. The announcement of failure to reach any conclusion was a disappointment.

No secret has been made of the general line-up which is expected to result from the consolidations. The New York Central's principal acquisition will be the Lackawanna. By acquiring the Lehigh Valley, the Van Sweringen interests, which control both the Nickel Plate and the Chesapeake & Ohio, will tap the rich anthracite fields of Pennsylvania. The Baltimore & Ohio, by acquiring the Reading and through that the Central of New Jersey, will also get into the coal fields and will be able to run into New York over its own tracks.

Gains for Pennsylvania.

The Pennsylvania, under this general plan, gives up some of its rights along seaboard, but is expected to gain in the lake, Ohio and West Virginia regions.

Disposition of such lines as the Pittsburgh & West Virginia, the Wheeling & Lake Erie and the Western Maryland are said to be in dispute, with the Pennsylvania offering the strongest claims, although the Van Sweringen interests are said to be seeking control.

Hearing Death Sentence for Anti-Soviet Conspiracy

RUSSIAN engineers recently convicted of plotting with foreign interests for overthrow of the Soviet regime, standing in dock in Moscow court when sentence was imposed. Five of them were first sentenced to death before a firing squad. The other three got eight-year terms. Later the court commuted the sentences to 10 and 8 years, respectively.

REVOLT THWARTED IN SMYRNA; 5 PERSONS SLAIN IN FIGHTING

Turkish Plotters Behead Youth Who Tries to Tell Police of Their Activities.

By the Associated Press.

ISTANBUL, Turkey, Dec. 24.—An attempt of six Turkish fanatics to stir up a revolution in the Village of Menemen, near Smyrna, yesterday failed.

The rebels beheaded a youth who attempted to inform police of their activities and in subsequent fighting two gendarmes were killed and four civilians wounded. Three rebels were killed and one was captured. The leader escaped.

Rebels came from the mountains and attempted to incite the population to overthrow the Kemalist regime and restore the Caliphate. Wearing the taboo dervish turbans, armed with rifles and carrying a flag bearing a Koranic inscription, "This emblem conquers all," the rebels harangued the crowd on the evils of the hat and the new alphabet.

Some of the population joined them but a young school teacher protested and went to call police. He was promptly beheaded. When the gendarmes arrived the rebels opened fire. The Government has called out the militia throughout Smyrna Province, arresting many suspected of subversion.

EELS FOR CHRISTMAS IN NAPLES

800 Tons Arrive for the Customary Feast.

By the Associated Press.

NAPLES, Italy, Dec. 24.—Eight hundred tons of eels arrived here today from Bastia, Corsica, for the Neapolitans' customary Christmas eve dinner. Ten special fish-carrying vessels in which water flows in and out through minute holes, keeping the eels alive, brought the food. The eels are fished up from the schooners in special basket nets.

The Neapolitan custom of eating eels on Christmas eve began hundreds of years ago. The Duke of Accadia, a Neapolitan nobleman four centuries ago, had enormous ponds built beneath his palace filled with water from the Bolla aqueduct in order to raise his own eels. A narrow street nearby running to the Duke of Accadia's palace still bears the name of Vico Fontana dei Serpi (Snake Fountain street).

Auto Registrations Drop.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The first 30 states to report net passenger automobile registrations for November showed a total of 42,662, a decrease of 37.8 per cent from the 68,662 reported for October, and a decrease of 47.1 per cent from the 80,685 reporter for November last year.

GERMANY'S JOBLESS INCREASE

Idle Now Number Almost 4,000,000, Official Report States.

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BERLIN, Dec. 24.—Unemployment in Germany is mounting rapidly according to official figures made public here today. The total number of idle in Germany is now only 13,000 short of 4,000,000, today's report states.

The unemployed in this country has been increased 278,000 between Dec. 1 and Dec. 15.

VOLCANO DEAD PUT AT 800

24,000 Refugees From Stricken District in Java.

By the Associated Press.

BATAVIA, Java, Dec. 24.—As poisonous gases clear away from the lava thrown out by an eruption of Merapi volcano last week, the number of dead steadily increases.

The number stands at 800, while refugees from the devastated districts total 24,000.

CANADIAN SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS RULING IN STRIKES

Union Not Liable for Damages It Decides in Sustaining Lower Tribunal.

By the Associated Press.

OTTAWA, Dec. 23.—Decision of the Quebec courts that labor uions can not be held liable for damages resulting from strikes was upheld yesterday by the Supreme Court of Canada.

The decision was on an appeal by Society Brand Clothes against a verdict returned in the case of the Amalgamated Workers of Amerca. Suit had been brought in the Quebec courts by Society Brand Clothes, Samuel Harry and Co. ltd., and the International Tailoring Co. all of Montreal, to recover damages suffered in a strike called by the union. The Quebec courts found that, while the plaintiffs had suffered damage, judgment could not be given because the union was not a corporate body.

INDIANS MUTINY ON FORD'S RUBBER LAND; PLANE SENT

Brazilian Government Dispatches Ship to Rescue Americans Threatened by Native Laborers.

THREE CHILDREN ARE REPORTED KIDNAPED

One Account Tells of 21 Slain, Another Says None Is Killed but Property Loss Is Heavy.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—A message from Para, Brazil, to Pan-American Airways headquarters in New York said a Pan-American plane had been sent to the Ford rubber plantation, at the request of the Brazilian Government, on reports that there had been trouble there with native laborers. The plane left Para at 4 p. m. yesterday.

At the time the message was sent there were reports at Para that no lives had been lost but that there had been considerable property damage.

By the Associated Press.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Dec. 24. — Dispatches received here last night said a band of Cayapos Indians had invaded the village of Cardoso, in Northern Para, killing 21 persons and carrying three children into the jungles.

The State Government sent 30 soldiers from Para but because of transportation difficulties it was not believed they could reach Cardoso in less than eight days.

A few months ago Indians in the northwestern part of the country killed the Rev. Arthur F. Tylee of Worcester, Mass., his baby daughter, and Miss Mildred Kratz of Wheaton, Ill.

The Ford rubber concession in Para is a plantation of 6,000,000 acres, not all of which has been cleared.

The Tapajos River is navigable for seagoing vessels to a point about midway of the plantation. In 10 years, it has been estimated, rubber trees now planted will yield approximately 6,000,000,000 pounds rubber a year.

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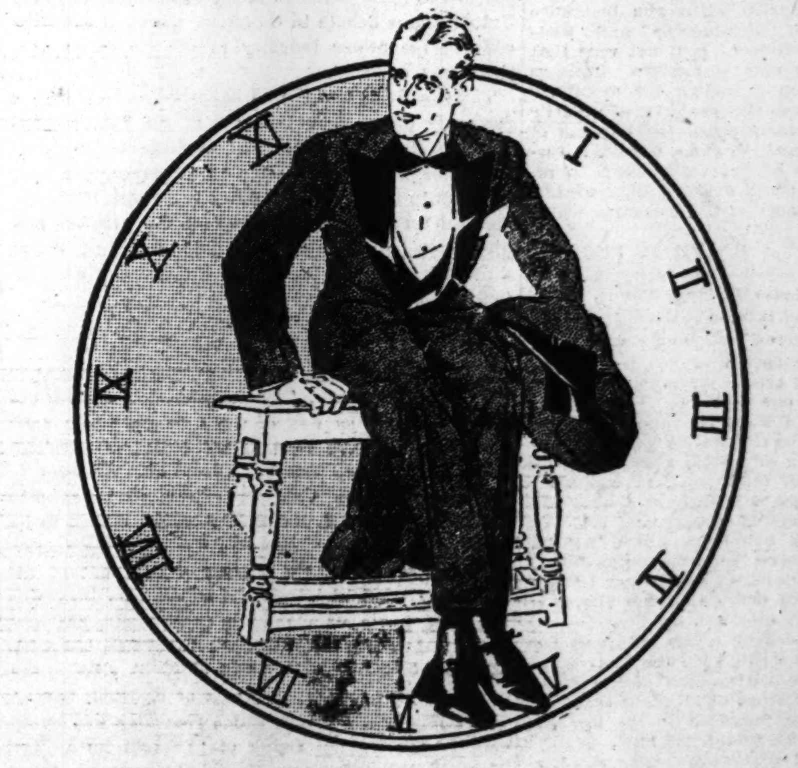

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JOSEPH PULITZER.

April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The name and address of the author must accompany every contribution, but on request will not be published. Letters not exceeding 200 words will receive preference.

Notes on the Farm Problem.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

RAISING grain to sell has caused run-down farms to be a drug on the market. County farm agents have helped in some counties, introducing cows, hogs and chickens—producing milk, butter, cheese and poultry, raising the price of farm land and making better living conditions. All these products have doubled in price in the last 25 years. The members of the Farm Board ought to be county agents who are familiar with the consumers' demands.

Seldom are two enormous world's crops followed by a third. A bountiful crop at low prices is better than a poor crop at high prices for everyone. It means even the city workers can live and buy merchandise. Twenty-five bushels of wheat per acre at 90 cents will make a third more than 10 at $1.20 a bushel. When the Argentine cattle ranges are done away with, as in this country, we will have to supply Europe with beef. The revolving fund ought to be used to buy lime and fertilizer, purebred stock and to build silos.

The propaganda against starchy food has helped to lower bread consumption. The slogan is "Use more vegetables, fruit, pork, beef, poultry, butter, eggs, cheese, etc." We have heard enough about curtailing and raising prices which mean nothing. L. J. HALL.

A Criticism of Our Editorial Policy.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I WISH to congratulate you upon your editorial in the issue of Monday, Dec. 15, on "Prosperity and Taxes," and also upon the leading editorial in a recent edition, commenting upon Samuel Insull's advocacy of laissez faire. If there is any clearer, more intelligent treatment of economic and political problems in another American publication I do not know of it.

What puzzles me in regard to your attitude is how you reconcile the views in such editorials as these with the views you express when you denounce the growth of "bureaucracy" and "Federal centralization." Is it not true that legislation to control modern business and legislation providing for ambitious public construction projects necessarily involve an expansion of the bureaus of government and, to some extent, a further increase of Federal power? If so, what does it profit one to protest against the consequences of the measures which one favors?

RALPH F. FUCHS.

Our Lotto Raiding Police.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

THE people of St. Louis can really look with pride upon their fully equipped and ever loyal police force. The exploits of one Sherlock Holmes and even Scotland Yard are dimmed in the glare of Police Chief Gerk's glory.

The raiding of a lotto party, given for the benefit of an invalid, in which the first prize was to have been a bungalow apron (confiscated as evidence) and last, but certainly not least, given in the home of respectable people, was indeed about the only act of heroism or bravery in the face of death that the people of St. Louis will ever see.

It was indeed on a par with and just one degree less silly than the fatal shooting of a disabled veteran of the World War for no offense at all other than that the blue coat guardian of the law was afraid that he would get hurt.

He was of course duly exonerated, as the people expected. What else could we expect?

The "force" might try out their new radios and automobiles and expensive guns on a gangster or bootlegger, perhaps. But no, "perhaps" is about as far as they will go.

R. X.

The Carolers.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

ON Christmas eve thousands of our children and young people, representing church, school and other neighborhood organizations, will travel the residential streets of the city and county singing Christmas carols. It is their personal contribution to their community this Christmas-time to spread joy and glad tidings among their neighbors that this Christmas might be more of what it should be—"Peace on earth, good-will to men."

That all who value their services and who love to hear their young voices singing these beautiful old carols may express their appreciation, we invite the window lights of the homes of the city and county to be set soon after dusk on Christmas eve to beckon the carolers. It is only the opportunity to sing for you that these splendid volunteers seek. Surely, no one will deny them that happy privilege, or allow their services to be given in vain.

Let there be thousands of window lights everywhere tonight to welcome the carolers.

ST. LOUIS CHRISTMAS CAROLS ASSN.
WILLIAM H. DANFORTH, President.

THE POWER ISSUE.

In our opinion the effect of the disgraceful and unfair attempts to defeat Senator Norris of Nebraska will be to increase popular resentment of the Power Trust, which was the chief characteristic of the national elections less than two months ago.

It was, of course, the power issue that concentrated so much fire upon the Nebraska Senator. Like Gifford Pinchot, who has just been elected Governor of Pennsylvania a second time, Senator Norris is a marked man to the great political power industry. It would like to get him out of the way, as it would like to get Senator Walsh of Montana out of the way, and as it would like to get Senator Couzens of Michigan out of the way. Men of their sort are all that stand between the Power Trust and control of the Government. It has already got rid of state control over its practices through decisions of the United States Supreme Court. The position of Senator Norris in the matter of Muscle Shoals is a great unhappiness to the Power Trust. He has made an exhaustive study of the subject, and is the best authority in Washington on it. His arguments for Federal control and operation of that great hydroelectric plant, into which the people have put approximately $160,000,000, have been devastating. How convincing they are was illustrated by what happened when he was invited to state the case for his bill before the Military Affairs Committee of the House. When he had spoken, one of the members of the committee, a Republican from Pennsylvania, said: "Senator Norris, I would like to have you come to Pittsburg and tell my constituents what you have just told this committee."

While known to be sympathetic with the theory that business should run the Government, and that the promotion of all industry without too much legislative interference is the prime function of government, the Republican party has not hitherto been associated in the public mind with the Power Trust. It is therefore a surprise that it should care to reveal itself in such an alliance, which is what the revelations before the Nye committee come to. Discovery that Robert H. Lucas, executive director of the Republican National Committee, had actively participated in the fight on Norris, and that an attache of the committee had gone to Nebraska to ascertain for it what chance there was of beating Norris, has naturally widened the gulf between the progressives and those who control the party. Something of the same sort occurred during the effort to beat Pinchot in Pennsylvania. He, too, was a Republican candidate; but he was fought from inside the party because of his opposition to the practices of the Power Trust. The country is very likely to infer from such revelations that the Republican party is on the side of the Power Trust. Indeed, Mr. Hoover put himself there very squarely in 1928.

If this is to be the Republican party's attitude on the power issue, the campaign of 1932 is taking form faster than is generally realized. The power issue has forced itself upon the people in the form of extortionate rates. Probably there is little or no popular understanding of the legal subterfuges by which the industry has, in the words of Senator Dill of Washington, literally "picked the pockets of the people." The election of a Republican independent who ran for the governorship in the State of Washington was due to resentment throughout the State of profiteering by the utilities. The defeat of Congressman Reece of Tennessee by an anti-power candidate, who went into the campaign 11 days before election, was due to the same resentment. Mr. Pinchot carried Pennsylvania chiefly because of the growing feeling in that State against the power industry. It was his opposition to these practices that elected Costigan to the United States Senate in Colorado. No candidate who opposed the power industry in the November elections was defeated.

The revelation as to what happened in Nebraska, a dastardly effort upon the part of the Power Trust and the Republican National Committee to drag down the anti-power leader in Congress, can only add fuel to the fire. It remains to be seen if the Republican party is content without the greatest misgivings to be put in such a situation. If so, it had a perfect precedent for such a choice when Ajax defied the lightning.

"AFTER THE BALL."

Charles K. Harris, the man who wrote "After the Ball," is dead. The present generation has heard the song by way of the radio, but that brief revival was a pale echo of the ballad all America was singing when Grover Cleveland returned to the White House. The phonograph in its raucous infancy mutilated it, the wicked saloon paused in its sinning to listen weepingly to the impromptu quartet's interpretation, the melody drifted out of the dormitory windows of all the colleges on fluttering wings of banjo or mandolin accompaniments, and the curtain never dropped on a vaudeville bill without its interval of lyric melancholy. A year or two later everyone quoted, in orison or derision, Bryan's "cross-of-gold" metaphor, which presently was smothered in the martial swing of "There'll Be a Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight" as youth went marching off to the war with Spain. Later Kipling passed his tambourine for Tommy Atkins in "The Absent-minded Beggar," and the Young Republic of Kruger's dream was buried as the century died. Harris may not presume even to approach the back door of the academy of the immortals, but the graying remnant of the mauve decade remembers happily how he made it sing.

NEWS FROM THE ZOO.

The St. Louis Zoo is a populous, thriving community, filled with varied daily activities, where piquant personalities maintain their strange tribal customs, defiant of the melting pot. Every live community should have a newspaper, and the zoo has one, issued monthly by the Zoological Society. It is a first-rate publication by all the standards of journalism, printing all the news of this exclusive suburb without fear or favor, giving full coverage to social activities, chronicling all local improvements and fostering a progressive neighborhood spirit. From the latest edition we learn:

The rattlesnake family, of Florida, is enjoying a home newly furnished with a bed of modernistic cactus, a gnarled tree and a Yule log. Sammy, the juvenile chimpanzee, and Duffy, an old settler 9 years old, are rehearsing for their debut in talking movies. Angry complaints by the tenants about noisy locks on cage doors at the Snake House, with some threatening moves against the caretakers by the cobra family, have resulted in readjustment of the mechanisms so they are now noiseless. Jonah and Frya, the sea elephants, received visitors in temporary lodgings for a day while housecleaning went on in their pool. After a domestic row among the servals, one of these large cats packed up and left home, and is now living peacefully in the jungle cat suite. The python menage has gone on a diet and will accept no dinner invitations for the next two months. Mr. Syrian Bear, who had been quite a bully, has returned from the hospital after a sound drubbing by Mike the Himalayan, and now is a better citizen. The talking Mynah bird, now resident in a bachelor apartment, has had many interviewers and is kept busy answering personal questions. Breeding of fishworms and meal worms and trapping of cockroaches is proceeding actively to feed the zoo colony. Birth announcements: One elk, two American bison, 39 fer-de-lances. Spilogale "Skunk" Putorious has recovered from a minor operation and is now enjoying increased popularity.

BILLIONS OF CHRISTMAS GREETINGS.

If any investigator wanted to do a bit of mundane research that would take him into astronomical figures, he might have taken a census of the Christmas greetings extended and received in the 1930 season. The olden days may have possessed the Yuletide spirit, but they hadn't the means of expressing it that today sends billions of greetings winging about the world. For instance, the holiday greeting card didn't come into use until about 1860, and this week it has been weighting down every postman in the land. Every radio program that agitated the ether for the last few days has been offering "Silent Night" and Christmas wishes to all its listeners, of whom there must be about 80,000,000, to no one knows how many programs. The telegraph companies have elaborate blanks for this occasion, and carry words of holiday cheer by the myriads.

The total of mercantile good wishes might be roughly computed by multiplying the nation's newspaper and magazine advertisers by the number of readers, plus the number of tinseled window cards and the benisons of an army corps of department store Santas. Even business letters vary their stilted form during holiday week to include, "Hoping for a continuance of your business, and extending to you the best wishes of the season, we remain . . ." Billboards blaze with the Yuletide message, and on recruiting posters the trim young warriors have retreated before holly and wreaths.

Gifts by the millions will be presented tomorrow, and the seasonal greeting goes with each of them. "Merry Christmas" for the next 36 hours will be a warmer substitute for "How do you do" and "Good morning," swelling the hypothetical total still more. Contemplating with awe this vast outpouring of holiday wishes, we now add several hundred thousands to the total by wishing a Merry Christmas to all our readers.

"DINTY" AT ATLANTA.

"Dinty" Colbeck, it seems, will have to spend at least four more years in Atlanta before he is eligible for parole. The former chief of the defunct Egan gang is serving two sentences—one for 15 years for a St. Louis mail robbery; a 25-year stretch for a mail robbery at Staunton, Ill. He has been in prison six years and, if it were not for the Staunton affair, could competently seek clemency under the one-third rule. But when a second conviction, or another indictment, is in the record, a convict is required to serve two-thirds of his sentence before he may expect release. Political influence may, to be sure, drill a way out through the legal entanglements, as it did in the case of Colbeck's associate, Roy Tipton, but the politicians who came to Tipton's rescue are probably loath to do the good Samaritan again so soon. The publicity that attended their friendly offices was distasteful. So Colbeck must trudge the treadmill while Maxwelton's Inn, the one-time G. H. Q. of loot and wassail, fades in the lengthening distance. And St. Louis will sleep somewhat sounder of nights with "Dinty" at Atlanta.

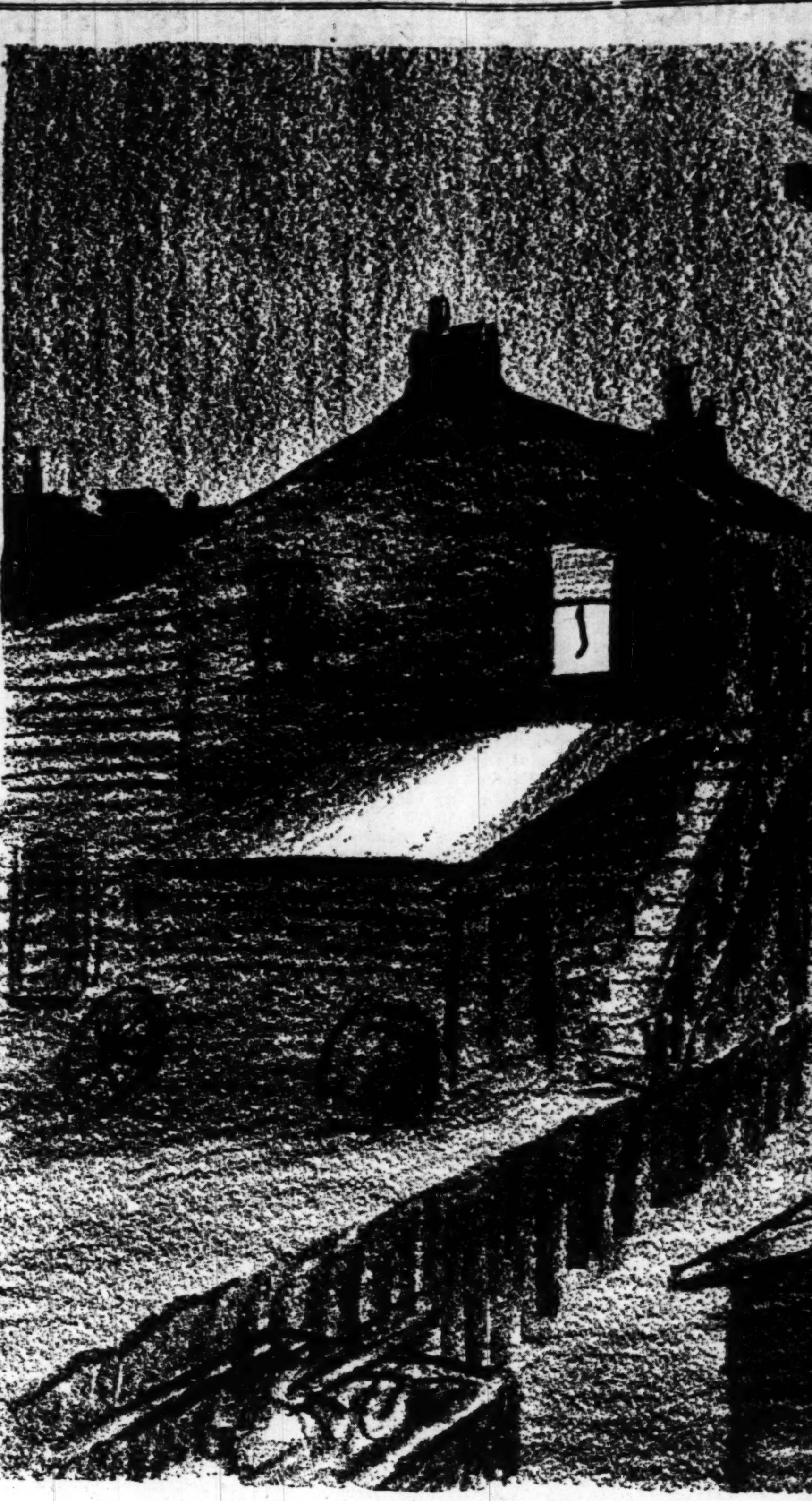
CHRISTMAS CAROLS IN ST. LOUIS.

Christmas festivities have lost much of the homely savor they possessed in the ample, leisurely days of old, what with the bustle of this machine age to which the ancient customs have been forcibly adapted. Hence it is pleasant to know that the tradition of carol singing is not allowed to lapse in St. Louis, due to the energy of the Christmas Carols Association. This organization each year sends hundreds of volunteer singers into the downtown districts and residence neighborhoods to reawaken old echoes with "God Rest You, Merry Gentlemen," "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" and other Yuletide anthems which go back in their origin to the earliest observances of the season. Some authorities, in fact, call carol singing the first development of the festival, and legend traces the custom to the joyous chorus of the heavenly hosts which "came upon the midnight clear" of the first Christmas.

Just as the waits of Old England went about singing under casement windows and gathered shillings for relief of the poor, so these modern carolers also will send forth "that glorious song of old" in the cause of charity. The funds they collect will go toward activities of children's relief organizations, not provided for in their formal budgets. Last Christmas more than $6000 was obtained in this manner, and the goal for this year is even more ambitious. The holiday troubadours will rove the residence districts tonight, Christmas eve, and will serenade all households where the traditional Christmas candle appears in the window. Thus a fine tradition of antiquity is preserved, for the even older cause of "gracious charity."

WANTED: A CHAIRMAN.

With too much of everything on his shoulders the President's staggering load is made heavier by the chairmanship of the Republican National Committee. It is a sad story. Dr. Work, who purportedly occupied the place during the campaign, was generally regarded as a useless piece of bric-a-brac and, in the fullness of time, was succeeded by "a man of destiny," Claudius Huston, whom party leaders are hoping everybody has forgotten. Then came Senator Fess, an ad interimeter, supposedly, who already has spoken embarrassingly out of turn. Now the heir presumptive, Robert H. Lucas, a person of political experience and accounted sagacity, might be called the little brother of the Nebraska grocery clerk with whom the anti-Norris junta tried to shortchange the people of Nebraska. We have no candidate for the job, but, in the spirit of the season, we are hoping that Santa Claus may leave a chairman in Mr. Hoover's stocking.



HOPE.

The "Christmas Armistice" of 1914

Letter by British Captain describes extraordinary scene in sector of Flanders line when truce was declared for day; Germans and English met in No Man's Land and had informal celebration; joined in songs, in drinking toasts and in chasing hares; both sides admitted they were sick of war; gifts exchanged by opposing officers.

From a Letter by Capt. Sir Edward Hamilton Hulse, Scots Guards, in "War Letters of Fallen Englishmen," Edited by Laurence Housman (Gollancz, London, Publisher.)

FLANDERS, Dec. 28, 1914.

MY Dearest Mother:

Just returned to billets again after the most extraordinary Christmas in the trenches you could possibly imagine. Words fail me completely in trying to describe it, but here goes!

We stood to arms as usual at 6:30 a. m. on the 25th, and I noticed that there was not much shooting; this gradually died down, and by 8 a. m. there was no shooting at all, except for a few shots on our left.

At 8:30 a. m. I was looking out, and saw four Germans leave their trenches and come towards us; I told two of my men to go and meet them, unarmed (as the Germans were unarmed), and to see that they did not pass the half-way line. We were 350-400 yards apart at this point. My fellows were not very keen, not knowing what was up, so I went out alone, and met Barry, one of our Ensigns, also coming out from another part of the line. By the time we got to them they were three-quarters of the way over, and much too near our barbed wire, so I moved them back.

They were three private soldiers and a stretcher-bearer, and their spokesman started off by saying that he thought it only right to come over and wish us a happy Christmas, and trusted us implicitly to keep the truce. He came from Suffolk, where he had left his best girl and a 3½-horsepower motor-bike! He told me that he could not get a letter to the girl, and wanted to send one through me. I made him write out a postcard in front of me in English, and I sent it off that night. I told him that she probably would not be a bit keen to see him again. We then entered on a long discussion on every sort of thing.

I kept it up for half an hour, and then escorted them back as far as their barbed wire, having a jolly good look round all the time and picking up various little bits of information which I had not had an opportunity of doing under fire! I left instructions with them that if any of them came out later they must not come over the half-way line, and appointed a ditch as the meeting place. We parted after an exchange of Albany cigarettes and German cigars.

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On my return at 10 a. m. I was surprised to hear a hell of a din going on, and not a single man left in my trenches; they were completely denuded (against my orders), and nothing lived! I heard strains of "Tipperary" floating down the breeze, swiftly followed by a tremendous burst of "Deutschland Ueber Alles," and as I got to my own dugout, I saw, to my amazement, not only a crowd of about 150 British and Germans at the half-way house which I had appointed opposite my lines, but six or seven such crowds, all the way down our lines. I bustled out and asked if there were any German officers in my crowd, and the noise died down.

A German N.C.O. with the Iron Cross—gained, he told me, for conspicuous skill in sniping—started his fellows off on some marching tune. When they had done I set the note for "The Boys of Bonnie Scotland, where the heather and the bluebells grow," and so we went on, singing everything from "Good King Wenceslas" down to the ordinary Tommies' song, and ended up with "Auld Lang Syne," which we all, English, Scots, Irish, Prussians, Wuerttembergers, etc., joined in. It was absolutely astounding, and if I had seen it on a cinematograph film I should have sworn it was faked!

Just after we had finished "Auld Lang Syne," an old hare started up, and seeing so many of us about in an unwonted spot did not know which way to go. I gave one loud "View Halloo," and one and all, British and Germans, rushed about giving chase, slipping up on the frozen plow, falling about, and after a hot two minutes we killed in the open, a German and one of our fellows falling together heavily upon the completely baffled hare. Shortly afterward we saw four more hares, and killed one again. The enemy kept one and we kept the other.

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George Paynter arrived on the scene, with a hearty, "Well, my lads, a merry Christmas to you! This is damned comic, isn't it?" George told them that he thought it only right that we should show that we could desist from hostilities on a day which was so important in both countries; and he then said, "Well, my boys, I've brought you over something to celebrate this funny show with," and he produced from his pocket a large bottle of rum (not ration rum, but the proper stuff). One large shout went up, and the nasty little spokesman uncorked it, and in a heavy, ceremonious manner drank our healths in the name of his "Kamaraden;" the bottle was then passed on and polished off before you could say knife.

During the afternoon the same extraordinary scene was enacted between the lines, and one of the enemy told me that he was longing to get back to London; I assured him that so was I. He said that he was sick of the war, and I told him that when the truce was ended any of his friends would be welcome in our trenches, and would be well received, fed, and given a free passage to the Isle of Man! Another coursing meeting took place, with no result, and at 4:30 p. m. we agreed to keep in our respective trenches, and told them that the truce was ended. They persisted, however, in saying that they were not going to fire, and as George had told us not to, unless they did, we prepared for a quiet night, but warned all sentries to be doubly on the alert.

Our Adjutant went down there with a party that morning, on hearing of the friendly demonstration in front of my company, to see if he could come to an agreement about our dead, who were still lying out between the trenches. Well, he found an extremely pleasant and superior stamp of German officer, who arranged to bring all our dead to the half-way line. We took them over there, and buried 29 exactly half-way between the two lines. Giles collected all personal effects, pay-books and identity discs.

When George heard of it he went down to that section and talked to the nice officer and gave him a scarf. That same evening a German orderly came to the half-way line, and brought a pair of warm, woolly gloves as a present in return for George.

WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

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Of Making Many Books

JOHN G. NEIHARDT

A Living Spring

CAMERA OBSCURA. By William Bolitho. (Simon & Schuster, New York City. $2.50).

THE death of William Bolitho last June at the age of 39 may well have been no calamity to him, for he was one of those relatively rare spirits for whom the apparent solidities of this world are not uniformly opaque, and no doubt he was ready for promotion; but his going at the height of his powers may have been a considerable loss to the rest of us kindergarteners. It is good to know that all of his minor writings scattered about through newspapers and periodicals will be published. "Camera Obscura" is the first volume of these proposed collections. It would be foolish to describe this as a great book. In it many questions are discussed in the necessarily inadequate journalistic manner; but everywhere in the volume evidences of a strangely wise and luminous personality are to be encountered. It is not as literature so much that the brilliant and hasty little essays are to be valued, but rather for the quality of mind and spirit that is revealed in them by flashes. In the course of his rather more than shrewd remarks on Freudianism, Bolitho introduces a passage that serves well enough in aiding to classify him as a man and as a writer. He insists that mankind is not to be divided into the two Freudian classes, introvert and extrovert, but merely as "the givers and the takers, the fountains and the wells. And be sure," he adds, "that you keep near the smaller class." His meaning might be made more obvious by changing the figure to read "living springs and cisterns"—those who give out from an inner source of understanding and those who can produce only what has been poured into them. Bolitho was not an intellectual and spiritual cistern. He was a living spring, and Walter Lippman meant something very definite when he remarked that Bolitho wrote "like a man from Mars."

SINS OF NEW YORK, AS EXPOSED BY THE POLICE GAZETTE. By Edward Van Every. (Frederick A. Stokes Co., New York City. $5.00.)

One can see now that it was inevitable, and it is a matter for marvel that our excessively sophisticated writing boys didn't think of it before. The old Police Gazette was far too juicily naughty to be neglected forever, and here it is revived in all its glory. In the dark ages of a past generation when all of us oldsters and semi-oldsters were, according to current report, horribly repressed sexually and much given to a prunes and prisms morality, we used to associate the old pink sheet with the barbershop outlook on life, and if we ever glanced at it, we did so only under the pressure of desperate boredom while waiting for the omniscient and loquacious gentleman at the chair to summon us as "next."

As an institution, the Police Gazette has fallen on evil days, owing largely, no doubt, to the invention of the safety razor, but more, perhaps, to the same sort of change that has resulted in a notable decline of prostitution as a business. The old Police Gazette motive is now dominant throughout our literature.

Mr. Van Every, in a mood of hilarity, has delved in the files of the old-time shocker as far back as the "purple forties and fifties" and the "swaggering seventies and eighties," choosing the juiciest samples of text and picture. Presumably, being so much "tougher" than even the toughs of those days, we are expected to come near dying with laughter. Weren't folks perfectly asinine in those far-off days? One does snicker now and then—one even snorts occasionally—but the mirth is at the expense of our common human nature and not any outmoded manifestation thereof. Are we not living in the bumptious thirties, and on the much happier side of what is preparing in the world as a result of our cocksure blindness?

BETWEEN DAWN AND SUNRISE. By James Branch Cabell. Edited by John Macy. (Robert M. McBride & Co., New York City. $3.)

From a dozen of Cabell's books John Macy has selected material which in his judgment best represents the whole range of the author's moods and powers, and he has prefaced the volume with an interpretative essay that, in some important particulars, is likely to prove a revelation, even to most confirmed Cabellians. Those who admire Cabell will know that such a work, prepared by one who has gone deeply into the subject, is certain to be full of light and strange beauty. The book is very much worth owning.

THE ROAD THROUGH CZECHO-SLOVAKIA. By Dorothy Giles. (Penn Publishing Co., Philadelphia.)

The road through Czecho-Slovakia is a road of romantic memories for this author. It is a road to the East out of Prague, and Prague, when this traveler first saw it, was Prague at Christmas time, with the snow in the streets and the wind at the door; with the lights in King Wencelas' castle winking over the Frozen Vitava. And leading out of Prague was the road to the East, the road through Czecho-Slovakia. The author went far along that road, finding fascinating things to write about, and writing about them fascinatingly, and views to delight a traveler's eye, which she photographed for others' eyes. It was a joyful journey, now joyfully described for others to share the enjoyment.

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THE TWILIGHT OF MAGIC. By Hugh Lofting. (Frederick A. Stokes Co., New York City. $2.50.)

A definite but unobtrusive purpose, other than that of entertainment, is suggested by the title of Hugh Lofting's latest offering to children and is to be felt increasingly by the older reader who may be on the lookout for it. The purpose is to show how the age of superstition gave way to the age of science. The story is concerned with the adventures of a boy and girl during the Middle Ages in England, and it is told in the familiar whimsical manner that has won the hearts of so many youthful readers of Lofting's other books. Kings, Princes, Knights, castles abound in an atmosphere of glamor. There are many quaint illustrations by Lois Lenski.

VIKING CIVILIZATION. By Axel Olrik. (W. W. Norton & Co., New York City. $3.50.)

Axel Olrik, the Danish scholar, who died several years ago, is said to have been regarded in Denmark as preeminent in the field of early Scandinavian civilization. In the present volume, now first translated into English, he presents a comprehensive picture of the heroic age in the North.

THE FLAMES OF MOSCOW. By Ivan Lukash. Translated from the Russian by Natalie Duddington. (The Macmillan Co., New York City. $2.50.)

The central episode in this story of Russia during the early nineteenth century is concerned with Napoleon's famous retreat. It fills the greater portion of the volume and Lukash's telling of the story is one of the most impressive known to this writer.

IN OUR TIME. By Ernst Hemingway. (Chas. Scribner's Sons, New York City. $2.50.)

This is Hemingway's first book, which appeared five years ago and is now reissued with an appreciative introduction by Edmund Wilson. It contains 15 short stories and sketches.

TALES FROM THE CRESCENT MOON. By May McNeer and Charlotte Lederer. (Farrar & Rinehart, New York City. $5.)

Ancient legends of Hungary, presented in a handsome volume with many curious illustrations in color.

THE INTRIGUING DUCHESS. By Dorothy de Brissac Campbell. (Covici-Friede, New York City. $3.50.)

The story of Marie de Rohan, Duchesse of Chevrense, who achieved the distinction of being the mistress of three Kings. Not that it really matters.

JERRY, THE STORY OF AN EXMOOR PONY. By Eleanor Helme and Nance Paul. Illustrations by Cecil Aldin. (Charles Scribner's Sons, New York City.)

An excellent yarn for youngsters who may have more than a mere eye-acquaintance with horses. The book is a British importation.

CONTRACT BRIDGE BLUE BOOK. By Ely Culbertson. (Bridge World, New York.)

World champion and expert explains his "unbeatable" methods of contract bidding and play and recommends his system as the one to win with, regardless of the system used by partner and opponents. The author is editor-in-chief of the Bridge World Magazine.

SIX PLAYS FOR SIX GRADES. By Carolyn Barr. (Penn Publishing Co., Philadelphia. $1.50.)

The plays, for grades one to six are "Bennie's Dream," "Santa Claus Starts on His Journey," "Jamie's Circus," "Choosing a Home," "His Majesty's History Lesson," and "Bricks."

THE PINTO PONY. By Hoffman Birney. (Penn Publishing Co., Philadelphia. $2.50.)

Hoffman Birney tells Western stories as he tells a travel tale, which is the same as saying that he tells them well. This one is about Tex, a wild Western horse, owned by a young rancher. Tex takes part in the capture of a gang of bandits and helps his master win a homestead when Indian lands are thrown open for settlement.

SCATTERED GEMS. By Gertrude Lee. (Stratford Co., Boston. $1.50.)

Poems of religion, love, nature and other subjects.

MAGDALEN AND OTHER POEMS. By Anne Arrington Tyson. (Knickerbocker Press, New York. $2.)

The poem that gives a name to the book is a defense of Mary Magdalen, "wronged unjustly, basely wronged."

PRAIRIE WINDS. By Zoe H. Tilghman. (Harlow Publishing Co., Oklahoma City, Ok.)

Verses first published in Harlow's Weekly, a magazine of Oklahoma, made available in permanent form for those who hold them in remembrance and for a wider field, where they may find a welcome.

THE SUN SETS RED. By Stanley Hart Cauffman. (Penn Publishing Co., Philadelphia. $2.)

A stirring story of the period of the French Revolution, depicting the daily life of those who dwelt beneath the shadow of the guillotine. There is a young American, caught in the swirl, and, of course, a beautiful girl.

THE BLUE GOD JAZZ. By Donald Snow. (Edward J. Clode, New York. $2.)

Stanley Oakes was a silver-voiced radio announcer and women adored him and made a fool of him. Margaret Lipton among the rest. The way she made a fool of Stanley was to leave him. Apart from that there are roadhouses and night clubs, syncopation and sophistication.

BEN EZRA, OR THE MIDNIGHT CRY. By William L. Beaumont. (Stratford Co., Bostson. $2.50.)

A Messianic story, offered as a modern sequel to "Ben Hur," but without resembling it. The background is New York and the Holy Land. The earnest author, a home missionary for 50 years, is skillful in weaving scriptural quotations into his running narrative. Of interest, particularly, to those who share the author's millenial interpretations.

METTEN OF TYRE. By Helena Carus. (Doubleday Doran Co., New York City. $2.00.)

A story of the ancient Mediterranean world for youngsters up to about the age of 12. The hero is the son of a Phoenician captain in the time of King Solomon.

LOUD SING CUCKOO. By Emma Gelders Sterne. (Duffield & Co., New York City. $2.00.)

A story of fourteenth century England, about a little girl who, masquerading as a boy, joins a band of strolling actors, and about a little boy of noble birth who, of course, marries the little girl when they both "get big." For children around the age of 12.

REVOLT IN THE ARTS. By Oliver M. Sayler. (Brentano's, New York City. $3.50.)

Thirty-six representative workers in the various arts contribute to "a survey of the creation, distribution and appreciation of art in America." The editor contributes an excellent prefatory essay.

THE ROMANTIC EAST. By Sydney Greenbie. (Robt. McBride & Co., New York, N. Y. $3.50.)

An exceptionally well-conceived and well-written work by a veteran traveler on the various countries of the Orient. It seems probable that a more vivid or more dependable general view of conditions in Asia at the present time would be hard to find in any single volume.

LIFE IN COLLEGE. By Christian Gauss. (Chas. Scribner's Sons, New York City. $2.50.)

"The modest purpose of this volume is to introduce the undergraduate upon the American campus to himself, to his friends, and more particularly to his parents back home." The author is dean of the college, Princeton University.

APPLES AND MADONNAS. Emotional Expression in Modern Art. By C. J. Bulliet. (Covici-Friede, New York City. $4.00.)

An enlarged and revised edition of a well-known work on impressionistic art originally published several years ago. There are numerous illustrations from photographs.

Philadelphia Rabbi to Speak.

Rabbi Julian B. Feibelman of Philadelphia will be the guest speaker at B'nai El Temple, Delmar boulevard and Clara avenue, Friday evening. The Saturday morning services will be conducted by Rabbi Herman E. Snyder of Springfield, Ill.

Rivers' Stages at Other Cities.

Pittsburg, 9.9 feet, no change; Cincinnati, 11.4 feet, a fall of 0.4; Louisville, 5.1 feet, a rise of 0.2; Cairo, 8.9 feet, a fall of 0.1; Memphis, 2.8 feet, a fall of 0.2; Vicksburg, 9.9 feet, a rise of 0.5; New Orleans, 1.3 feet, a fall of 0.3.

Daily Article by Calvin Coolidge

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NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Dec. 24.

A SOUND system of unemployment insurance requires solving many difficult problems. Some employes work from the sense of duty, others for gain, for independence and power, still others to save themselves from want. It has always been supposed that strong motives were necessary to insure continuous effort.

If unemployment insurance were like life and accident insurance the problem would be simple. Each would take what he wanted and pay for it. But it is generally proposed that the employer and the public treasury should pay part of the cost as in workmen's compensation. If when unemployed he is to receive something he did not pay for, no one can say how that would affect the will of the wage earner to hold his place by doing his best. Evidently the morale would be lowered. Another problem will be the person idle because he does or does not belong to a union.

The duty to relieve unemployment is plain, but not even the unemployed have a right to what they do not earn. Charity is self-existent. Employer and employe are in a business, not a charitable relationship.

—CALVIN COOLIDGE.

JOHN T. DYER FUNERAL FRIDAY

Shoe Man Died When Visiting Brother in Corsicana, Tex.

The funeral of John T. Dyer, secretary of the McElroy-Sloan Shoe Co., who died suddenly yesterday when visiting a brother in Corsicana, Tex., will be conducted at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at Second Presbyterian Church. Interment will be in Valhalla Cemetery.

Mr. Dyer, who was 67 years old and lived at the St. Regis Apartments, 4950 Lindell boulevard, appeared to be in good health when he left St. Louis on a business trip through the Southwest several days ago. He planned to spend Christmas with his brother, J. M. Dyer Sr., at Corsicana. Death apparently was from heart disease.

MLLE. BOYER WEDS AMERICAN

Sister-in-Law of Alfred Lambert-Ribot Bride of Arthur Sachs.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Arthur Sachs, member of the banking firm of Goldman Sachs & Co. and art collector, married Mlle. Georgette Boyer in Paris, Dec. 11, it is learned here. They arrived in New York on the Bremen last Monday.

Mrs. Sachs is a sister-in-law of Alfred Lambert-Ribot, Delegue Generale of the Comite des Forges and a cousin of Dr. Maurice Heitz-Boyer, friend and physician to Marshal Foch. Mr. Sachs was a widower.

WANTS WITNESSES TO METEOR

Association Hopes to Recover Fragment Which Fell Dec. 8.

Persons who saw a brilliant meteor fall at 5 p. m. on Dec. 8 have been requested to report the fact to the Midwest Meteor Association at Iowa City, Ia., giving the direction in which it was seen.

Dr. Mark L. Floyd of the University of Iowa Hospital saw the meteor to the southeast of Iowa City. Residents of Piggott, Ark., reported they saw the same phenomenon to the north of that city. Reports from other points are relied upon by the Midwest Meteor Association to locate the neighborhood in which it fell and possibly lead to the recovery of the meteor itself. An 820-pound meteorite was found by a farmer at Paragould, Ark., last spring after the association had located the neighborhood where it fell.

Will of John C. Boyd Filed.

The will of John C. Boyd, president and founder of the Boyd-Welsh Shoe Co., filed at Clayton yesterday, leaves $10,000 outright and $10,000 in trust until they reach the age of 21 to each of two children, John C. and Sallie Boyd. The residue of the estate is to go to the widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Boyd, who is named executrix without bond. Mr. Boyd, who was 65 years old, died Friday of intestinal peritonitis. He resided at 6310 McPherson avenue.

Beta Theta Pi Luncheon.

Young man students from St. Louis who are members of Beta Theta Pi fraternity chapters at the University of Missouri, Washington University, Westminster College and several Eastern schools were guests at the annual Christmas luncheon of the Beta Theta Pi Club of St. Louis yesterday at the Missouri Athletic Association. Sidney A. Maestre, president of the club, presided. About 150 were present.

Capablanca Beats 18 at Once.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Jose Capablanca, Cuban chess master, defeated 18 members of the British Chess Club of Paris in 90 minutes of simultaneous play last night.

Jane Addams Receives LL. D.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Honorary degrees of doctor of laws were awarded yesterday to Miss Jane Addams and Stanley Field at a University of Chicago convocation. Two hundred and fifty-seven academic degrees were awarded.

Malaria Insurance for Workers.

ROME, Dec. 24.—Workmen who labor in districts subject to malaria are to receive special compensation under a Government insurance bill if they catch the disease. The bill is soon to be considered by the Chamber of Deputies.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

THE Christmas holiday visitors include Mr. and Mrs. Jack Geraghty of Minneapolis, Minn., and their daughters, Miss Sally and Miss Marie Geraghty, who have arrived to visit with Mrs. Geraghty's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. William Maffitt, 4315 Westminster place.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Turner Childress of Ridge Top, St. Louis County, are the parents of a son, born Sunday. Mrs. Childress was Miss Josephine Bates and is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Maffitt.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Moulton of Brentmoor have as their guests for the holidays their daughter, Mrs. James Crawford Ward, and her baby daughter of Kansas City, Mo. Mr. Ward will join his family here tomorrow.

Miss Martha Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Carter of the Senate Apartments, will have as her guest Miss Joanne Dissette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James I. Dissette of Indianapolis, Ind., who will arrive Sunday. Monday night Miss Carter will give a small dinner for Miss Dissette preceding the Princeton Triangle Club play at the Odeon. The following day the visitor will be the guest of honor at a luncheon to be given by Miss Lenore Goldman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin D. Goldman of Oak Knoll, Clayton road. Miss Frances O'Neil also is planning a party for her. Miss Dissette will resume her studies at Smith College, where she is a classmate of Miss O'Neil, following the holidays.

TWO tea dances for the school and young college groups will be given today. Mr. and Mrs. Guilford Duncan, 4540 Lindell boulevard, for their daughter, Miss Winifred, a student at Mount Vernon Seminary, Washington, and Miss Betty Wyman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Wyman, a senior at Mary Institute, at the St. Louis Woman's Club. The party will be given on the lower floor of the clubhouse with Christmas colors prevailing in the decorative scheme.

An entertainment feature will be a series of holiday dances by a group of professionals.

The host and hostess will be assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Wyman, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan I. Meier, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coit Day and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pond Capen.

The younger school set will be entertained late this afternoon at a tea dance to be given by Mrs. Charles Parsons Pettus, 33 Westmoreland place, in honor of her daughter, Miss Mary Pettus, a student at the Fermata School, Aiken, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Davis, 13 Westmoreland place, will give a party tonight in honor of their daughter, Miss Alita, and their son, Samuel C. Jr., who is home from Harvard for the holidays.

The Christmas parties tomorrow will include teas by Miss Doris O'Neil, daughter of Mrs. John Francis O'Neil, 51 Kingsbury place; Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher R. Harris, for their daughter, Miss Janet, and Mrs. R. Langford Ballenger of Memphis, Tenn. Assisting at the O'Neil party those serving will be Miss Matilda Moulton, Miss Jane Rule and Miss Frances O'Neil, niece of Miss Doris.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar H. Vieths, 6432 Cecil avenue, will give a buffet supper for a group of the young debutantes and their escorts tomorrow night.

Mrs. William Julius Polk, 28 Westmoreland place, and her daughter, Miss Delphine, are expected home today from Stamford, Conn., where Mrs. Polk was called by the illness of her daughter. Miss Delphine is a student at Noroton, the Sacred Heart Convent there.

Cards have been received for a tea to be given Monday afternoon by Miss Jane Noland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Noland Jr., 21 Washington terrace, in honor of Miss Elizabeth Ungles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Ungles, 4642 Lindell boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ungles and their family, who have been living in St. Louis for about two years, will depart soon to make their home in Pittsburg. Miss Ungles is a former student at Washington University, where Miss Noland is a senior. Guests have been invited from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Miss Jane Caulfield and her brother, John, daughter and son of Gov. and Mrs. Henry S. Caulfield, have returned from Smith College and Harvard, respectively, and are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents in Jefferson City. They will be joined there by the Governor's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence M. Barksdale, and their son, Henry Caulfield Barksdale.

After the holidays Miss Caulfield and John will accompany Mr. and Mrs. Barksdale to St. Louis for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy Bush and their daughter, Miss Susan Bush have returned to St. Louis and taken an apartment at the Park Plaza. They spent last summer in Europe, and the autumn and early winter in New York, where Miss Bush has been studying music.

Miss Peggy Lou Jones has arrived from the Harcourt School in Gambier, O., to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Emma Mellon Jones of the Gatesworth Hotel. A younger daughter, Mary Frances, has returned from Villa Duchesne, and her son Breckinridge Jones Jr., from Chaminade College.

Mrs. Fanny Todd Clark Mitchell of New York and her son, Peter, have arrived in St. Louis for a visit with Mrs. Mitchell's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Todd Clark Jr., 4707 Westminster place. They will be guests during their stay at the Forest Park Hotel.

Mrs. Mitchell, a playwright, wrote the dialogue for "Boom Boom," "Music in May" and adapted Johann Strauss' "Die Fledermaus," which is now playing in New York.

The third annual meeting of the John Burroughs Alumni Association was held at the school Monday morning. Members of the senior class were guests of the alumni for luncheon. A feature of the day was a basketball game between the varsity and the alumni, which was won by the latter, 34-31.

Miss Katherine Boyd, president, and Miss Mary Agnes Hawkins, secretary, presided at the business meeting. Speeches were made by Pierre Grace, a Dartmouth student; Miss Anne Oliver, a member of the senior class, and Leonard Haertter, a member of the faculty.

Officers elected for 1931 are Miss Emily Westwood Lewis, president, and Proctor W. Dodson, secretary-treasurer.

Miss Geraldine Beck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vickers Beck, 6012 Clemens avenue, is in Montclair, N. J., for the holidays as a guest of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker Barriger III. Miss Beck will go to Larchmont and Scarsdale for brief visits, before returning to Radcliffe where she is a student.

Miss Pamela Harrison, daughter of Mrs. John W. Harrison, 5371 Waterman avenue, will give a tea Sunday at her home.

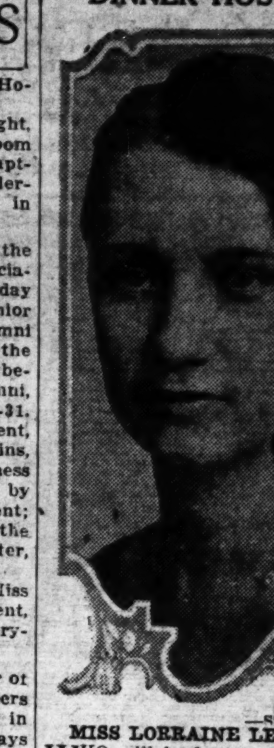
John J. Macdonald arrived in St. Louis Sunday from Washington for a brief visit with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Macdonald, 8032 Park drive. Mr. Macdonald has been in Washington receiving instructions from the State Department before going to Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, as United States Vice Consul. He was appointed to the post last May.

Sydney M. Shoenberg Jr., a student of Roxbury School, Cheshire, Conn., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney M. Shoenberg, 8 Washington terrace.

Miss Gertrude Earl Hewson, 6808 Washington boulevard, will depart this week for Pasadena, Cal., where she will spend the winter. She will be accompanied by her father, the Rev. Earl Hewson.

Mrs. Carye E. Hamlett, 4317 Lindell boulevard, has with her for the holidays her son, William H. Hamlett, a student at the University of Louisville.

DINNER HOSTESS



—Strauss Photo.

MISS LORRAINE LESCHEN,

WHO will be hostess at a dinner party Tuesday, Dec. 30, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Leschen, 39 Crestwood drive, for Miss Betty Rathmann, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rathmann, 6424 Cecil avenue.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 30 WINS AWARD OF POST-DISPATCH

Also Receives Rotary Club Prize for Work in Recent Merit Badge Show.

Boy Scout Troop 30, sponsored by the Young Men's Hebrew Association, won the Post-Dispatch cup and the Rotary Club prize of $50 worth of scouting equipment, awarded to the troop contributing most toward the success of the recent merit badge show. The Post-Dispatch cup will be placed in competition again at next year's merit badge show, and will become the property of the troop winning it twice.

The competition was based on ticket sales and general participation by troop members in the show. Five members of Troop 30 received prizes for individual ticket sales, and the troop received a prize for the best booth in the show. B. D. Moss Jr. of Troop 26 received a gold watch for selling more tickets than any other Scout participating in the affair.

New York Day by Day

By O. O. McIntyre

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK has professional snoopers known as "courtesy shoppers." They are young and personable women employed by department and chain drug stores, syndicate restaurants such as Child's and the Fifth avenue buses. They keep tab on conduct of sales forces through direct contacts.

While such employes are spies, they do not deserve the opprobrium usually bestowed upon the guild. Their aim is constructive rather than destructive. They are not concerned with a clerk's dishonesty, but with bettering his relations with patrons.

It is seldom anyone is discharged because of their adverse report. On the other hand, in instances many who would not likely have been noticed have received suddenly deserved promotion. It has proved remarkably productive in flushing out new talent.

In a department store, for example, the "courtesy shopper" is given an amount of money and a list of clerks in the store to be visited and from whom certain purchases are to be made. She makes a complete detailed report of each transaction.

If the clerk is polite or otherwise facts are set down. Personal appearance of employees is noted along with points about disposition and such. If impolite a warning letter is sent. If especially courteous the deed is recorded on an individual chart.

A certain number of marks mean instant promotion and higher pay. The "courtesy shopper" receives from $30 to $50 a week, but for obvious reasons cannot remain in the position more than a limited period. Yet they may go to other such jobs through an interchanging system.

The high class civility among bus conductors is largely due to this scheme. In drug stores and restaurants the cleanliness and enthusiasm, or lack thereof, are tabulated. The whole effect is to give those otherwise lost in a huge organization The Big Chance.

OUTSIDE of Bronxites, few New Yorkers are acquainted with that beautiful serenity of the upper reaches of the island known as Van Cortlandt Park. It is a larger area than Central Park and some of the most enticing vistas, walks and motor drives are there. The home of Frederick Van Cortlandt, a pioneer, is near an entrance. Acquired by the city it is now a museum filled with Chippendale furniture, old pewter and sundry Colonial what-nots.

IN Van Cortlandt is a cricket field where transplanted West Indians swat the ball with slap-stick like bats. Cricket has something to do with hitting and running, but as an outdoor sport always struck this observer as rather messy.

ALONG one of the winding roadsides of Van Cortlandt stood a venerable hot chestnut vendor shivering in the chill. For him life seemed to have burned down to the faint charking glow of a roasting pan. Stopping to make a small purchase, I inquired: "Not many customers out here, are they?" He replied: "Only like yourself, sir, out of pity." And I went on somehow hoping that in the new Utopia a careless world will take care of its aged.

ONE of the newest night club masters of ceremony has the gait of a peon leading a burro through a sleepy Mexican village. Oyster-eyed and fiddle-faced, his voice is a whining drawl. He often yawns and nods in the middle of a sentence. In contrast to the jumping bean, hand clapping and shouting variety surfeiting the town he is a welcome riot.

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University City Parks Supervisor.

James K. Monteith, 965 Hamilton avenue, has been appointed Supervisor of Parks and Playgrounds for University City, an office created recently by the Board of Aldermen. He will move to University City before taking office Jan. 1. Monteith was formerly associated with Harland Bartholomew, consulting engineer for the St. Louis Plan Commission, who drafted a parks and playgrounds plan for University City several years ago. He was also formerly connected with Shaw's Garden.

Seek Cots to Aid Homeless Men.

The board of trustees of the Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion Church, Garrison and Lucas avenue, is seeking donations of cots and blankets to fit out sleeping quarters for homeless men in the church gymnasium. The trustees expect to provide accommodations for 40 men. A chicken dinner will be served needy persons at the church at 3 p. m. today.

Christmas Greetings

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY TRUST COMPANY
BROADWAY and OLIVE
SAINT LOUIS

SCHMELING READY TO DEFEND TITLE, MANAGER WILL TELL COMMISSION

JOE JACOBS TO PLEDGE MAX TO FIGHT ANY FOE PICKED FOR HIM

LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS

NEW YORK.—Ruby Goldstein, New York, outpointed Willie Garafola, New York, six rounds.

CHARLESTON, W. Va.—Johnny Edwards, Huntington, W. Va., knocked out Luis Carpentero, Toledo, O., one round.

INDIANAPOLIS.—K. O. Christner, Akron, outpointed Walter Pickard, Indianapolis, 10 rounds.

PORTLAND, Ore.—Charles Belanger, Canadian light heavyweight, outpointed George Manley, Denver (10).

NEW YORK—Lew Farber, New York bantamweight, defeated Sammy Tisch, New York (4). Georgie Needleman, New York featherweight, scored technical knockout over Ira Brown, Atlanta. Pete de Grasse, New York featherweight, defeated Charley Raymond, New York (6). Larry Marinucci, Troy, N. Y., middleweight, scored technical knockout over Billy Franklin, New York (9).

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla.—Tommy Rizzo, New York lightweight, knocked out Jackie Desanti, New York (8).

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24. — Max Schmeling, through his manager, Joe Jacobs, is expected to tell the New York Athletic Commission next week that he is ready to defend his heavyweight title against the best available opponent in June, not necessarily Jack Sharkey of Boston.

The commission recently ordered Schmeling to agree, within 15 days, to a title fight with the Boston sailor but Schmeling's reply was that Jacobs was his manager and qualified to speak for him. Jacobs has been under suspension here for some time for his part in the controversy over a managerial contract Arthur Buelow held on Schmeling's services.

Jacobs is to go before the commission next Tuesday and probably will pledge his protege to a title defense in June whether it be against Sharkey, Young Stribling or Victorio Campolo.

If the commission accepts this promise, the way would be paved for a match between Sharkey and Stribling or Sharkey and Campolo early in the spring. Unless Sharkey can prove conclusively in actual combat that he is the best challenger available, experts feel a Sharkey-Schmeling bout is foredoomed to financial failure.

Chicago promoters have offered Schmeling $500,000 to fight Stribling there in June, but present indications are that the title bout, if and when it is held, will be held here.

Legion to Back Crystal City's Girls Cage Team

The Crystal City girls' basketball team, which plays the Bachelor club Friday night at Battery A, Grand boulevard and Hickory street, will be known hereafter as "Post 253, American Legion, Crystal City." The Peebles-Vaughn-Wideman Post, which has a membership comprised of residents of various parts of Jefferson County, will be in charge of all home games, and plans to send delegations weekly to the contests at Battery A. The team will continue to manage its own business affairs and make up its own schedule.

Thomas Anselm, an official of Post 253, in explaining his organization's latest move, said he was confident other legion posts would, sooner or later, do likewise and, in addition to sponsoring baseball for boys in the summer, provide basketball for girls in the winter.

"The Crystal City girls, all registered in the Amateur Athletic Union," he said, "are strict amateurs, playing for the love of the game. These girls have paid their own way for over two seasons."

The Crystal City uniforms will be remodeled, probably for next week's game, so as to bear emblems of the Crystal City-Festus Post.

GREENLEAF INCREASES LEAD IN POCKET MATCH WITH "MASKED MARVEL"

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Ralph Greenleaf, former world's champion, conquered the Masked Marvel, 125 to 29, in the third game of their 12-block pocket billiard meeting at the Strand Academy yesterday afternoon. Greenleaf ran out in the seventeenth inning with an unfinished run of 41, making several spectacular shots that thrilled the gallery.

Greenleaf again was the victor in the fourth block played in the evening, by a score of 125 to 50 in nine innings and his triumph enabled him to lead in the match, 443 to 259, at the conclusion of the night's play.

In this block Greenleaf ran off a dazzling string of 53, while the Marvel's best was 23.

The Masked Marvel clicked off a high-run of 44 in his sixth inning, in the afternoon game, making more than one sparkling shot.

SNOWED UNDER

By Burris Jenkins Jr.

Dear Santa give us a Rocker Ill.
Give us a Rocker Wis.
Dear Santa: Give me a shot at that Battalino La Barba
Give us a real Champion Fight Fans
Give us more Babe Ruth Yanks
Joe Jacobs
Burris Jenkins

WRAY'S COLUMN

Turning Over a New Leaf?

BOXING, which in St. Louis is about to finish the old year with its tail between its legs, is likely to pep up considerably with the turning over of the New Year's page.

On Jan. 2 the first show of the year will send 1931 away from the post to a promising start. The "wise boys" all are saying The Arena card of next week is the goods. If it doesn't go over, the outlook for the winter ring season will be bluer than a huckleberry pie.

Punchers and fighters make up most of the card, with a pair of the seven bouts being devoted to the more scientific leather throwers. No champions are on the program, but two or three who are knocking at the door might be named, particularly Eddie Shea and King Tut.

If there is any real complaint against the card it is that the promoters have glutted it with too many matches. Unless a knockout shortens the program of 54 rounds, the final bout will not be over until 12 o'clock. The program calls for three and one-half hours devoted to actual fighting, allowing for the one-minute intermissions.

However, the boys who like boxing are not apt to complain of getting TOO MUCH of the sport, after the recent famine.

The Jackson-Johnson Post has certainly deserved success in its effort to give the fight public a real evening of boxing.

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Attention, Santa Claus!

AMONG the Christmas stockings that are being hung up expectantly is one belonging to the St. Louis Bowling Association which is hoping that Santa Claus Judge Howard of the American Bowling Congress will slip us the 1932 annual tenpin tournament.

Santa Claus Howard is very Scotch about bestowing this particular present. A city must be a good little boy for a long time before Santy's reindeer can find the right chimney.

However, it has been so long since St. Louis has had the honor and St. Louis bowlers have kicked in so steadily with sugar for the A. B. C. that it may be felt the award is due to this city.

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St. Louis has not had much luck with this particular Santa Claus. Last year the St. Louis bowlers contributed $2800 and all that it received was two medals. And bowling medals at $1400 each can hardly be accounted gifts.

So we are hoping here that Santa will give us something besides the icy eye and boreal bluff, this time.

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Due for a Change.

THE A. B. C., some of its critics say, is in need of a change. Its affairs today are conducted in the same way as they were when the organization first began its career, notwithstanding it has grown 20 times in numbers and financial value.

"If you're so smart," commented one of the officials to a St. Louis critic, at the last convention, "tell us just what this organization needs?"

"That's easy," was the reply. "It needs about a dozen funerals."

Which was very coarse and grossly exaggerated; but the point went over. Nevertheless the tournament is conducted on a peanut policy. The tourney gives a $1000 prize for the five-man team winners, a $500 prize for the doubles winner, $300 for the singles winner and only $180 for the winner of the all-events total, perhaps the most difficult of all the prizes to capture.

Last year some $107,000 in money prizes was distributed among the competing bowlers, all in dribs and drabs, lending neither glory to the individual nor importance to the event.

As suggested in this column before: Would it not be a worthwhile change to set aside $50,000 for the main prizes and then divide up the remaining $60,000 into the little fragments (if it is really thought necessary to scatter pennies in such a fashion, as if casting corn before a lot of chickens to see them scramble).

Fifty thousand dollars, divided into $25,000 for the five-man team, $10,000 for the two-man team, $5000 for the all-events title and $10,000 for the singles (and make this event 10 games instead of three), would give the American Bowling Congress more advertisement than our Congress at Washington receives. It would lift the event from a chicken-feed distribution to a grand prix class.

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As it stands, when the convention is held in the East, a team coming from San Francisco would lose money, even though it won the capital prize.

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The Real Trouble.

WE understand that Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler's collegiate League of Nations plan was decorated with the Order of the Frozen Face, by most of the gentlemen whose living depends on Dr. Butler's idea NOT being allowed to take root. The coaches couldn't see a thing in it!

It was stated, however, that many of the faculty members agreed with the idea in principle. And that's just where the rub comes in. Plenty of principal, but no interest.

And that's just what ails the great educator's proposal. The nation isn't interested.

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It's the off-season in football now. But fans will certainly feel peeved at Dr. Butler next fall if his plan prevents them from crashing the box office with a $3 admission price to his favorite football games.

The customer wouldn't be interested in college football if it were free, in all probability.

Maryville Basket Team Gains Its 40th Straight Victory

By the Associated Press.

MARYVILLE, Mo., Dec. 24.

MARYVILLE TEACHERS won their fortieth consecutive game last night, defeating the St. Joseph Boosters, 24 to 10.

Finley led the Teachers' scoring with five field goals, while Modeer tossed two for the Boosters. The Teachers led, 12 to 4, at the half.

All-Star Teams Are Ready for Game Saturday

By the Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24.—Coaches of two all-star football elevens, representing the East and the West, dropped all debate today as to which should be the logical favorite in the annual charity game here Saturday, and buckled their squads down to the last few days of intensive training.

Much material for the establishment of a favorite went bad when the weights of the two probable starting lineups were found to show an average difference of but one and-quarter pounds per man with the advantage favoring the West. Each team had figured the other the heavier and some Westerners even said the Eastern all-stars would outweigh them eight pounds to the man.

Except for Van Bibber, star Purdue tackle, who is suffering from a leg injury, Coaches Dick Hanley of Northwestern and Andy Kerr of Colgate said the Eastern team was in good shape.

At Berkeley, where co-coaches Dana X. Bible of Nebraska and Percy Locey of the San Francisco Olympic Club, are putting finishing touches on the West's team, an offense was steadily developing. Barton Koch, Baylor, and Ted Beckett, California, guards, were selected as co-captains of the team. The probable starting lineups, as announced by the coaches were:

Eastern All-Stars: Baker, Northwestern, and Gantenbein, Wisconsin, ends; Ely, Iowa, and Van Bibber, Purdue, or Linehan, Yale, tackles; Doyle, Colgate, and Woodworth, Northwestern, guards; Siano, Fordham, center; Bruder, Northwestern, and Hart, Colgate, halves; Baker, Pittsburg, quarterback, and Macaluso, Colgate, fullback.

Western All-Stars: Ebding, St. Mary's, and McKalip, Oregon State, ends; Christensen, Oregon, and Speidel, Olympic Club, tackles; Beckett, California, and Koch, Baylor, guards; Atkins, Texas Christian, center; Mills, Oklahoma, and Shelley, Texas, halves; Wilson, Baylor, quarterback, and Bausch, Kansas, fullback.

Edwards Scores Kayo.

By the Associated Press.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Dec. 24.—Johnny Edwards, 114, Huntington, W. Va., last night knocked out Luis Carpentero, 116, Toledo, O., after a minute and 10 seconds of fighting in a 10-round match.

ROOSEVELT WINS OVER EAST SIDE QUINTET, 23-21

Practice basketball games played by members of the Southwestern Illinois Conference last night were decided by narrow margins. Roosevelt of St. Louis won over East St. Louis in the last few seconds of play, 23-21, while Granite City was winning from Livingston, 23-22, on the losers' court.

Roosevelt outplayed the East Siders the second and third periods of the contest. The honors were evenly divided in the opening session with East St. Louis holding a one-point lead at the end of that quarter, 7-6. The Rough Riders then started a fast pace that East St. Louis attempted to surpass, but the Flyers trailed by a 13-11 score at the half, and 19-16 at the third quarter.

As in their past games, the East Siders rallied in the last period and two setups by Delaney and Smythe, after four minutes had elapsed, put the Flyers in the lead, 20-19. A free throw by Fash added another point, but a sensational shot by Bob Reese tied the count with two minutes to play.

Both defenses tightened and no score was made by either team to break the deadlock and an extra period was expected. The last minute was rough and out of a scrimmage under the basket came a shot that Parker bounced from his hand resulting in the winning basket for Roosevelt, as the gun sounded a few seconds later.

Bob Reese led the scoring for Roosevelt with three field goals and two free tosses for a point total of eight, while Dillman and Parker accounted for six and five, respectively. Fash was the leader for East Side with a total of seven points, while Smythe was second with six.

The game at Livingston was also a close affair, with the lead changing frequently throughout the contest. Granite City decided the game in the last few minutes, 23-22.

The victory was the second straight for Granite City and the third in four starts, all games being played in the last five days.

The box scores:

ROOSEVELT (23).

Name—Position.	Field Goals	Foul Goals	Fls.	Pts.
Parker, right forward	2	1	2	5
Dillman, left forward	3	0	2	6
J. Reese, center	0	0	1	0
R. Reese, center	3	2	3	8
Patton, right guard	0	1	2	1
Krause, left guard	0	0	0	0
Root, left guard	1	1	2	2
Totals	9	5	11	23

EAST ST. LOUIS (21).

Name—Position.	Field Goals	Foul Goals	Fls.	Pts.
Delaney, right forward	2	0	2	4
Smythe, left forward	2	2	2	6
Fash center	3	1	3	7
Lottman, right guard	0	2	0	2
Edmundston, left g'rd	0	0	1	0
Mackin, left guard	0	0	0	0
Dean, left guard	1	0	2	2
Totals	8	5	10	21

Summary: Score at end of half—Roosevelt, 13; East Side, 11. Time of periods—Eight minutes. Officials—Referee, Van Reen; timer and scorer, Roark. Where played—East St. Louis.

Score by periods—	1	2	3	4
Roosevelt	6	7	6	4—23
East St. Louis	7	4	5	5—21

TRIO OF EUROPEAN BOXERS IN AMERICA LOOKING FOR BOUTS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Len Harvey, European middleweight champion; Jackie Kid Berg, and the English bantamweight champion, Peters, arrived here yesterday on board the S. S. Olympic. Harvey, a tall, good-looking young man, was accompanied by his wife. Berg brought his parents with him this time.

Harvey was delighted to get here, he said, and upon his arrival issued the following statement:

"I am glad to be in America. I know that the American sports public and the sports press are the fairest and squarest you can find in any part of the globe. I know that nowhere in the world can a foreigner come to and find such a haven as America, particularly in the sphere of sport.

"I can come to these shores to win the middleweight championship of the world and it is my hope that Mickey Walker will give me a chance at the title he won from the late Tiger Flowers."

CALIFORNIA BOARD IN FAVOR OF BOXING CZAR

By the Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24.—Appointment of a "boxing czar" for California is expected to be the major recommendation of the special commission investigating boxing conditions in this State, when it submits its report to Gov. C. C. Young Friday.

This was learned yesterday from sources close to the commission. The new boxing head would co-operate with the three State Commissioners but would be free to make rulings and summarily punish violators. His salary would be about $10,000 yearly.

Names of two outstanding men connected with boxing have been mentioned for the position. They are George Blake of Los Angeles and Lieut. Jack Kennedy, U. S. N., prominent referee, of San Diego.

Paterson Loses Protest.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The Paterson club of the American Professional basketball League has lost its protest of a game played with Fort Wayne at Fort Wayne Dec. 9. Paterson contended that Fort Wayne violated league rules by having more than four recognized professional players in uniform.

St. Louis' Strong Halfback Line May Bring Victory Over Bricklayers, Tomorrow

By Dent McSkimming.

Despite the fact that the Chicago Bricklayer Football Club is sending its strongest team of years to play an exhibition game here Christmas day, the St. Louis All-Stars seem to have at least an even chance of victory.

A very strong halfback line, with Bill Lehman at center, Hughie Hill at the left and Elmer Benoist at the right side, is the thing which raises hopes of a St. Louis victory. It is the halfback line that usually looks weak when a St. Louis team tries to cope with a Scotch team. Hill himself is a Scotchman, so that he will not be at sea when the Brickies' strong right wing opens up its deceptive short passing attack. Bill Lehman has never been very much mystified by any sort of team, and Benoist recently covered himself with glory in stopping the left wing of the Chicago Jugo-Slavs. Mickey O'Hara is in reserve. In the past, St. Louis teams have survived or failed accordingly as they put on the field a smart or a dull halfback line.

A Tight Defense Assured.

At fullback, too, the local team will have the experience necessary to cope with clever forwards. The only unfortunate circumstance here is that both Jimmy Nolan and Joe Hand prefer to play the left side. Hand, it is expected, will shift to the right. He once played outside right for Billy Foley's team, oh, so many years ago, at Grand and Laclede. La Barge, in goal, was undoubtedly given preference over the brilliant youngsters Stohlman Hamm and Deuker because of his greater experience. The Brickies popped seven goals past Stohlman in the recent Triner Cup game at Chicago. They must have been all well placed balls, for Brady's goal guardian is the best that has come up since Johnny Hamm broke in.

When the Jugo-Slavs came here for their Triner Cup game two weeks ago they showed St. Louis a young Scotch center forward who had received the stamp of approval from some very keen old-country judges. His name is Imbrie. His game was unquestionably far above the average, but it was no better than Eddie Flavin can put out when he's having a good day. Flavin, playing between Moore or Hart and Ahrens, gives the St. Louis side a scoring punch that the Hellrungs lacked in Chicago. And at the wings, Brengle on the left and Pastor on the right have the sort of speed which should worry Tom Scott and Hugh Davidson, the Brickie fullbacks.

Brothers at War.

An unusual feature of the game is that it brings one brother against another. Hughie Hill, who is playing center halfback for the Ben Millers here, is a former Bricklayer player, and his brother, Tommy, will undoubtedly see some action for Chicago, either at forward or halfback.

If history means anything, the St. Louis defense will have to take care of Clem Cuthbert, the inside left, in order to beat the Brickies. For the past six years Cuthbert has been furnishing the scoring power for this team. Strangely, in all these years the Brickies have never been able to lay hands on an outstanding center forward. This weakness has cost them many a victory. Today they have Davie Coutts there. Davie may look like the worst football player on the field, or he may pop up with a couple of goals. It all depends on how his numerous sprained joints stand the wear and tear. They say Davie was playing center forward in Scotland when Connie Reid was a member of the Knot Hole Gang.

And speaking of St. Louis' good halfback line, it will have a match in Bob Thompson, Pete Quinn and Billy Ogilvie. Thompson, especially, has never failed to do the right thing with the ball. He has played here often, but not too often.

Tom Scott Returns.

Tom Scott, the broad Scotch lad who played his first professional football in America with the Vesper-Buicks here, will be at right fullback for the Chicagoans.

St. Louis Soccer League officials have signified their approval of Jimmy Dunn's work as referee by appointing him to handle this game. Oscar Mossmann will likely get the next feature.

The kick-off at Sportsman's Park tomorrow afternoon is scheduled for 2:30 o'clock.

PROBABLE LINEUPS

St. Louis	Position.	Bricklayers.
LaBarge	Goal	Neate
Hand	L. B.	Davidson
Nolan	R. B.	Scott
H. Hill	L. H. B.	Ogilvie
Lehman	C. H. B.	Quinn
Hill-Benoist	R. H. B.	Thompson
Brengle	O. L.	McLean
Hart	I. L.	Cuthbert
Flavin	C.	Coutts
Ahrens	I. R.	Munro
Pastor	O. R.	Greenlees

Reserves—St. Louis: Halfback, O'Hara; forward, Moore. Chicago: Fullback, Gregg; halfbacks, Tommy Hill.

Referee, Jimmy Dunn; linesmen, Al Petersen and Len Zerschel. Starting time of game, 2:30 o'clock. Time of halves, 45 minutes.

Joe Piva Rolls Perfect Game in League Contest

Joe Pica, 19-year-old leadoff man and captain of the Westinghouse team, bowled a perfect game of 300 in the second game of the match between Westinghouse and the Banner five in the Mixers' League at the Century Alleys last night.

This is Piva's first year in league play and his second year at bowling. Piva will receive two gold medals for his game—one from the American Bowling Congress and one from the Greater St. Louis Bowling Association.

Special Matches Tomorrow.

Two special 10-game match contests will be featured at the Washington Alleys tomorrow night in a special program which will serve as a final workout for the three local pin stars who will oppose Frank Kartheiser, Chicago star, here Saturday and Sunday.

In one match Ray Holmes of the Wooster Lamberts will oppose Otto Stein Jr. of the Witter-Razz quintet with the other half of the schedule calling for Jim Wilson of the South Side Chevrolets against Lee Martin.

Kartheiser, who at one time held the world's match play championship, will roll three 10-game matches during his visit here, opposing Holmes Saturday evening at 8 p. m., Wilson Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m. and Stein Jr. Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. All matches will be rolled on the fourth floor of the Washington Alleys.

VETERAN TOM SHARKEY HAS $564.77 COMING

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NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Tom Sharkey, great heavyweight of the early 1900s, was $564.77 coming to him, and the New York Edison Co. wishes he would come and get it.

Back in 1905 when Tom was running a saloon on Fourteenth street he placed $219.77 with the company as a deposit. Tom paid his bills regularly but never collected the deposit. Now, with interest, it has grown to $564.77.

TEMPLE'S BASKET STAR HAS SCORED 2590 POINTS

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PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24. — John Bonner, star forward of the Temple University basketball team, has been scoring for seven consecutive years.

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Basketball Scores

LOCAL.

Roosevelt 23, East St. Louis 21.

Granite City 23, Livingston 22.

McBride Alumni 18, McBride High 14.

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE.

Fitzsimmons 24, Bly-Moss 13.

Lowe-Campbell 39, Y. M. H. A. 15.

Shell 22, Pevely 20.

Continental 21, Bell Long Lines 19.

Bell Accounts 24, Missouri Pacific 20.

BOYS' CLUB LEAGUE.

Pintos 18, Arabians 12.

Hawks 25, Orioles 14.

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE.

Unions 33, Strodtman 16.

Oak Hill 40, Cedar Club 37.

Celts 39, Euclid Branconier 11.

Kain Circle 23, Ramblers 20.

St. Edwards 32, C. B. C. 29.

DE MOLAY LEAGUE.

Sentinel 31, Perfection 16.

St. Louis 58, Carondelet 16.

Alton 37, Harmony 25.

COLLEGE GAMES.

Butler 27, Loyola (Chicago) 22.

Iowa University 28, Creighton 22.

University of Pittsburg 39, Dartmouth 24.

St. Joseph Boosters 10, Maryville Teachers 24.

HIGH SCHOOL GAMES.

Normal 26, Alumni 19.

Flanagan 20, Gridley 5.

Deer Creek 29, Washington 10.

Wenona 34, Dwight 25.

Mahomet 27, Philo 21.

Pontiac 37, Saunemin 13.

Decatur 17, Johnston City 6.

LONDOS IS WINNER IN BOUT WITH GARDINI

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Alabama Captain Surprised.

There were no predictions to be made by team or coach on arrival. Wade said his men were in good condition; that they would settle down to an uninterrupted grind of preparation and that, while California weather was a trifle warmer than that in Alabama, it would have no effect on the team. That was all.

Capt. Charles "Foots" Clement registered surprise that his team should rate as favorites. "I don't see why we should be given the edge after traveling clear across the country, but we'll sure put out everything we have, you-all can bank on that."

The Alabamans were pleased with their reception. Washington State officials were in the crowd of more than a thousand. Even Coach Orin "Babe" Hollingbery left his team in the middle of its second practice session here to welcome his foes.

"Gosh, they look big," he commented.

Cougars in Workout.

The Cougars stepped right into stride yesterday afternoon and started running signal drill after considerable work on fundamentals. Present plans call for increased work through the remainder of the week, with no exception made for Christmas day.

The Southern boys were no more tired than their newly acquired mascot. At Phoenix, Ariz., "Poison," a black donkey, was presented the team. Just a few hands high, the "mountain canary" was too weary to travel under its own power and was transported to the hotel in the same truck with the team's baggage.

"Poison" probably will pay a call on Washington State's cougar, "Butch Meeker," today or tomorrow. The meeting is expected to be very informal, with no festivities planned, for the mountain lion has been hungry and moody since arrival.

SOUTH AMERICAN POLO TEAM INVITED TO PLAY IN U. S. EVENT

By the Associated Press.

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 24.—The Hurlingham Polo Club of Buenos Aires has received an invitation from the United State Polo Association to send a team to the United States to compete in the open championship play in September.

The invitation, addressed to Luis Lacey, famous Anglo-Argentine star by Louis E. Stoddard, president of the United States Polo Association, named Lacey, Daniel Kearney and Juan and David Miles as the invited team together with a substitute.

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A team of power was this Alabama aggregation, which displayed business-like intentions last night by hustling through a short but impressive workout only a few minutes after climbing stiffly from a special train.

Alabama Captain Surprised.

There were no predictions to be made by team or coach on arrival. Wade said his men were in good condition; that they would settle down to an uninterrupted grind of preparation and that, while California weather was a trifle warmer than that in Alabama, it would have no effect on the team. That was all.

Capt. Charles "Foots" Clement registered surprise that his team should rate as favorites. "I don't see why we should be given the edge after traveling clear across the country, but we'll sure put out everything we have, you-all can bank on that."

The Alabamans were pleased with their reception. Washington State officials were in the crowd of more than a thousand. Even Coach Orin "Babe" Hollingbery left his team in the middle of its second practice session here to welcome his foes.

"Gosh, they look big," he commented.

Cougars in Workout.

The Cougars stepped right into stride yesterday afternoon and started running signal drill after considerable work on fundamentals. Present plans call for increased work through the remainder of the week, with no exception made for Christmas day.

The Southern boys were no more tired than their newly acquired mascot. At Phoenix, Ariz., "Poison," a black donkey, was presented the team. Just a few hands high, the "mountain canary" was too weary to travel under its own power and was transported to the hotel in the same truck with the team's baggage.

"Poison" probably will pay a call on Washington State's cougar, "Butch Meeker," today or tomorrow. The meeting is expected to be very informal, with no festivities planned, for the mountain lion has been hungry and moody since arrival.

SOUTH AMERICAN POLO TEAM INVITED TO PLAY IN U. S. EVENT

By the Associated Press.

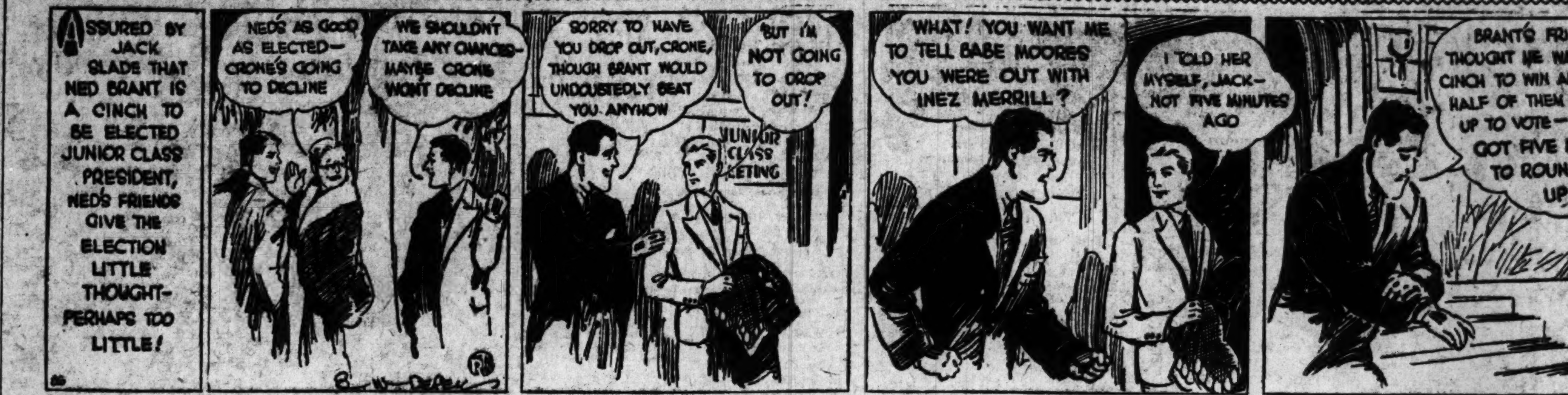
BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 24.—The Hurlingham Polo Club of Buenos Aires has received an invitation from the United State Polo Association to send a team to the United States to compete in the open championship play in September.

The invitation, addressed to Luis Lacey, famous Anglo-Argentine star by Louis E. Stoddard, president of the United States Polo Association, named Lacey, Danel Kearney and Juan and David Miles as the invited team together with a substitute.

At Ague Caliente.

First race, $600, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
Saddle Skirts ..107 Little Pat 110
Busy Bay ......112 George Van S. 110
Engineer Day ..107 Nellie Basil ...105
Northern Pass..112 Hit The Deck..107
Sandy Man ....107 Escapader 107
Hawes ....112 Freedom II ...107
Altavar ....108 Ray 107
Phil K. ....110 Paige 107
Shasta Graney .107 Lord Douglas ..107
Second race, $600, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Enthusiastic Edward ....107 Sunny Corn ...107
Lamkin ....107 Fari Allen 104
Flywood ....109 Aspin Lake 110
Parnell ....109 Gallardo 107
Athens ....112 Omrah 107
Red Cross Princess ....107 Fraik Gailor ..107
Ruth Long .....104 Nama 107
Roodles 107
Third race, $800, claiming, 2-year-olds, five and a half furlongs:
Lamister ......111 Mary Med 111
Morpheus ......109 Princess Diablo .104
aMiss Cheyenne 109 Satisfier 97
Princess Ceuta.. 97 Our Billy 107
Rose Cariaris ..109 aWittora 101
George Conrad ..110 Very French... 97
War Widow ....102 Trompe 106
Nesne Keala ..102 Little Effort ..112
Jenkins Rochester ....112 Sam Ischer 115
aIrwin entry.
Fourth race, $800, claiming, all ages, five and a half furlongs:
Clarabelle ....98 Parnell Boy ...110
Bertrand ......100 Conciliator ...115
Keep On ....112 Beth Hogan 110
Shasta Pear ...100 Parnell Boy ...106
Irlaneth ......110 Gold Rush 113
Conciliator ...115 Chocktaw 115
Beth Hogan 110
Fifth race, $1500, the Christmas Handicap, six furlongs:
Caruso ....112 aAlexander Pantages 112
Saint Prisca ..107 Lamp Black 106
Good and Hot ..105 Saint Jim 98
Patrick ....104 aShasta Bullet .110
Hey Diddle Diddle ....106 Nellie Custis ..117
aPantages entry.
Sixth race, $600, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Shasta Nut ....112 Ray Ruddy 107
Seagrave ......112 Shasta Pope ...112
Sanabar ....107 Freight Clerk ..104
Pepper Shot ...107 Priceman 111
Tecolote ......104 Hopeless 107
Lady Basil 107.107 Tommy McComb 107
Golden Sweep ..112 Malover 104
Seventh race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Brillante .....103 Mint Sauce 113
Salona ....109 Amilcar 108
Star Prince 108.108 Tanist 110
Jack Alexander 108 Sleepy Boy 103
Weather clear; track fast.

NED BRANT AT CARTER A Story of College Athletics By BOB ZUPPKE


ASSURED BY JACK SLADE THAT NED BRANT IS A CINCH TO BE ELECTED JUNIOR CLASS PRESIDENT, NED'S FRIENDS GIVE THE ELECTION LITTLE THOUGHT- PERHAPS TOO LITTLE!
NED'S AS GOOD AS ELECTED- CRONE'S GOING TO DECLINE
WE SHOULDN'T TAKE ANY CHANCES- MAYBE CRONE WON'T DECLINE
SORRY TO HAVE YOU DROP OUT, CRONE, THOUGH BRANT WOULD UNDOUBTEDLY BEAT YOU ANYHOW
BUT I'M NOT GOING TO DROP OUT!
JUNIOR CLASS MEETING
WHAT! YOU WANT ME TO TELL BABE MOORES YOU WERE OUT WITH INEZ MERRILL?
I TOLD HER MYSELF, JACK- NOT FIVE MINUTES AGO
BRANT'S FRIENDS THOUGHT HE WAS A CINCH TO WIN AND ONLY HALF OF THEM SHOWED UP TO VOTE- I'VE GOT FIVE MINUTES TO ROUND THEM UP!

Shea-Martin Bout Expected To Be Best on Arena Card

By W. J. McGoogan.

Now that all the fighters on the Jackson Johnson Post card at The Arena Jan. 2 have sent in their signed contracts and forfeit money, Matchmaker Lew Raymond has nothing to do but wait for the boys to arrive in the city to finish their training. None of them is expected before Friday or Saturday as those who live out of the city have announced their intentions of spending Christmas Day at home.

Tommy Grogan, welterweight, who meets Eddie Ran in one of the feature eight-round bouts, wired that he would leave Omaha tomorrow and expected to be here Friday morning. Tommy has had an off season this year for he has dropped seven of the 14 bouts in which he has engaged, one of his defeats being a knockout at the hands of Bruce Flowers. But he is an experienced battler and should give Ran plenty to do.

Raymond is counting on the Andy Martin-Eddie Shea bout for the star fight of the card. Martin defeated Shea when they met before at Boston and both are considered outstanding candidates for the featherweight championship now held by Battling Battalino of Hartford, Conn.

Beat Fidel La Barba.

Shea recently defeated Fidel La Barba at Cleveland after the Pacific coast boxer had won a decision over Kid Chocolate. Battalino upset the critics, however, by also defeating Chocolate. All of this makes it necessary for Shea to wipe out the defeat at the hands of Martin to make his claim to a bout with Battalino for the championship more urgent. Martin, on the other hand, could take precedence over Shea for a crack at the champion by again defeating Shea.

Spug Myers, who calls Pocatello, Idaho, his home, and Mickey Cohen, who has been fighting out of Chicago, meet in one of the eight-rounders. Neither of these lightweights is very well known in St. Louis. Myers is another, like Grogan, who has been taking his bumps this year, for of the 10 bouts in which he has engaged he has lost six, won three and drawn once. He has lost his last four outs, being beaten by Tommy Cello, Sammy Mandell, Manuel Quintero and Billy Petrolle. Cohen, on the other hand, has won four of his six 1930 fights, knocking out Buster Brandon and winning from Joe Glick, Mike Dundee and Tommy Grogan, while losing to Joe Marcus and Wildcat Monte.

Brisk Advance Sale.

Sammy Offerman and Lou Terry, the local lightweights, who are to fight eight rounds, are just about ready for their fray, as both have been among the busiest boxers around town this fall and winter. Sammy knocked out Ray Alfano, the East St. Louis boy, his last out, while Terry won from Freddy Haverlak. Offerman packs the punch needed to put Terry away apparently, but whether he can do it in eight rounds remains to be seen.

The fans have been exhibiting interest in the card by purchasing tickets. The prices range from $1.10 to $3.30, and The Arena ticket office is staying open until 10 p. m.

RACING ENTRIES

At Jefferson Park.

First race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds, six furlongs:
Fudge ....107 Fast Life 105
Shasta Lover ..102 *Light Mint ...105
*Black Lula ...102 *Falmouth Belle 99
Mardie 109
Second race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
Genuine ....114 *Bob Rogers ...113
Chianti ....116 *Bearcry 107
Peach Rose ....113 *Dark Simon ...109
*Shasta Prune .106 *Crucero 109
Third race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one and one-eighth miles:
*Florenda .....100 *My Lava 99
Herby Ashby ...108 *Sorrento 100
*Hazel Denson .100 *Smiling Princess 100
*Satisfy 99
*Alma 103
Fourth race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one and one-eighth miles:
*Torpointer ...100 103
*James M. ......99 *Marengo 103
*Fair Folly ....99 *Clapper 103
Watch Classic .101 *Firth of Tay..103
*Colonel Campus
Fifth race, $3000 added, the Christmas Handicap, all ages, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Galahad ....118 Yankee Doodle .100
*Rocket Glare.. 98 Dark Abbot 100
Voltear ....113 cRueful 105
aPegg's Pride..107 Ima Dreamer.... 98
Battle Ax .....107 Thomas Seth ... 95
bThistle Fyrn .104 Madcap Marvin. 94
Cog-alA ....109 Silver Cord 98
bPatricia Marian 105 Kadiak 102
cSkirl ....101 Essare 107
Strongheart ...106 War Instigator .104
Bocaratone 104
aAdams and La Brot entry. bGeorge Collins entry. cC. V. Whitney entry.
Sixth race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Come On ....109 *Bob Kernan ...111
Morocco ....111 *Behave Cash ..105
*Madcap Marvin 102 Jack Berty 113
*Morsnuff .....107 *Buddy Basil ..109
Essie 106
Seventh race, $800, claiming, 4-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Mac Fogle .....115 *Dry Chief 106
Salutation ....111 *Boom 111
*Reigh Olga ...111 *Red Banner ...111
*Shark ....111 *Mekachee 111
*Frightful ....111 *Spurrier 111
*Tom Caswin ...111 *Cartoon 111
*Seventeen Sixty 111 Big Gun 116
*Sesqui ....111 Whimsical Star .116
*Bumthorne 111
Eighth race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Duelist ....114 Sterling Silver .116
*Battle On ....111 Judas 111
*Dare Devil ...111 *Know Me Goome 111
*Mystery Ballot 111 *Indian Guide..111
*Flashing Gem .111 *Force 111
*My Davy ......106 Creek Indian ..116
*Rufe McClain .111 *Griff W. 111
*Hayes' Choice .111 *Billy Welch ..111
Mosque ....116 *Jim McMahon .111
*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather clear; track fast.

At Havana.

First race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, five and one-half furlongs:
*American Thunder ......106 *Rarabald 106
*Provo ....106 *Nelson 106
*Forefather ...107 High Dell 106
*Toki ....107 Leller Bunnie ..109
H. Smith 115
Second race, $800, claiming, 2-year-olds, five and one-half furlongs:
Lassie's Pal ..109 Gardennia 109
Nigricant .....109 *Dixie Bo 107
Mr. Moon ......109 *Lady Hozan 104
*Ruth Marie ...104 *Baby Wrack 104
*Tameriane ....104 Wild Dreams 109
Missy ....109 Sugarland 109
Wild Party ....109 Our Sweetheart .109
Star Button ...109 Masters Rose ...109
Absolutely ....109 Arlington First 109
Third race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, five and one-half furlongs:
*Miss Eval ....101 Vast 112
Florida Gold ..109 Andresito 112
Tishybo ....109 Fleeting Fire ..112
Frank Light ...112 *Old Kickapoo ..110
*Watch On 113
Fourth race, $800, 2-year-olds, allowances, five and one-half furlongs:
Cunegunde .....109 Broken Stone ...115
Magic Flute ...112 Thunder Nymph ..115
Water Port ....112 Dick Weidel 115
Boys Howdy ....115 Monkey Shine ...112
Carnival ......109 Smooth 112
Fifth race, $2000, all ages, the Christmas Handicap, mile and 50 yards:
San Carlos ....114 King Pin 105
Jack Biener ...102 Baltimore 102
Jem ....1?2 Yam Toy 105
Sixth race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one mile and one-sixteenth:
Chairman ......112 Alloy 112
Billy Dor .....111 Gen. Clinton ...113
*Isoard ....107 Mozart 112
Fasciste ......112 *Flying Start ..103
*Folamile .....109 *Winnie Jo 102
Brown Leaf 112
Seventh race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one mile and one-sixteenth:
*Polar Sea ....109 Flying Express .108
St Relief .....108 *Roughneck 103
Dolan ....112 St. Helen 109
*Pandover .....103 Evening Sky 105
*John Greener .103 *Finnster 107
*Turks Cap ....107 Eastern Boy 108
*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather clear, track heavy.

At St. Johns.

First race—$700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, five and one-half furlongs:
Bronze Star ...107 Oravon 107
Rosemar ....102 Dark Angel 113
Corsican ......107 Vena Rock 113
Sweet Tidings .113 Bold Robin 113
Saratoga Maid .113 Calamity 107
Plumbako ......105 Nicaragua 107
My Cornwall Boy.105 Mad. Hen 107
Ignite ....107 Birdie Wrack ...105
Lily Sue ......107 Runinlite 107
Second race—$700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, five and one-half furlongs:
Talky ....105 Steven B. 113
Susie Pal .....107 London Rock 110
Iraq ....102 St. Charles 107
Little Imp ....110 Dea 108
Wandering Gold 112 Vinlin 108
Icarus ....107 Clifton's Lass .108
Recognition ...113 Aerie 107
Poinciana .....102 Colonel Gilmor..107
Gagliardo John.110 Kite 106
Third race—$700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, five and one-half furlongs:
Bruno ....106 Elusagon 103
Candy Pig .....117 Sandy Hatch 101
Wrackster .....109 Wacket 105
Stupendous ....110 Richard McDonnell 110
Zeta ....113 Lady McNeil 104
Brother Rank ..110 Mineralogist ...106
Czarina ....105 Gladys McClain .106
Betty Ann 106
Calwick 110
Fourth race—$700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Our Pal ....106 Boris 108
Gadalong ......108 Rubberneck 103
Bob Shannon ...108 Cabellsdale 112
Air Bill ......103 Strong Tackle ..108
Rundale ....106 Senador Vasquez Bello 104
Madder 107
Upset Lad 113
Fifth race—$1000, the Christmas Handicap, all ages, six furlongs:
Noa Joyce .....109 Hack H. 114
a Whisp ....100 Imageray 105
Okaybee ....112 T S. Jordan 114
aNegopoli .....104 Brother Rank ... 90
bHoney Locust .116 Port Harlem 100
bEllice ....110 Reveille Boy ...108
aTorrell entry. bEllis entry.
Sixth race—$700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Fairdale ......104 Moonphase 116
Ducat ....104 Leonardeau 104
Forest Lore ...111 Laftar 108
Azov ....104 Pat Calhoun 116
Judge Caverly .110 Star 105
Fire Under ....111 Intrepid 108
Glenno ....112 Willie K. 113
Brahman ....100 Highland Fling..113
Mashbury ......101 Span 113
Seventh race—$700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and 70 yards:
Griffin ....113 Francis Seymour 109
Letalone ......108 Playfellow's Dream 105
Belmona 103
Weather clear; track fast.

Racing Selections

At Jefferson Park.

By the LOUISVILLE TIMES.
1—Fudge, Shasta Lover, Falmouth Belle.
2—Chianti, Bob Rogers, Genuine.
3—Hazel Denson, Sorrento, Alma.
4—James M., Torpointer, Fair Folly.
5—GALAHAD, Voltear, Skirl.
6—Morsnuff, Bob Kernan, Morocco.
7—Shark, Big Gun, Reigh Olga.
8—Judas, Griff W., Duelist.

At St. Johns.

By the LOUISVILLE TIMES.
1—Corsican, Calamity, Lily Sue.
2—Iraq, Wandering Gold, Clifton Lass.
3—Candy Pig, Elusagon, Sandy Hatch.
4—Upset Lad, Madder, Boris.
5—ELLICE, T. S. Jordan, Hack H.
6—Brahman, Leonardeau, Intrepid.
7—Griffin, Playfellow's Dream, Belmona.

M'BRIDE FIVE TAKES A LESSON FROM ALUMNI

For the first time in more years than the "old grads" care to admit, the McBride Alumni basketball team last night defeated the McBride High outfit, 18-14, in the annual game between the two fives. The contest, played at the McBride gym, was the first setback of the season for the Colonnaders, who had previously won three consecutive tilts. About 500 graduates and undergraduates were on hand to witness the encounter.

Strangely enough, the Alumni, whose games are usually featured by individual play rather than team work, last night showed considerably more team play than did their opponents. Under the leadership of "Took" Durbin, veteran McBride guard for three seasons and a member of the all-star Prep League five in 1929, the grads used two complete teams with equal success and held a comfortable lead during the greater part of the game.

The lineups:

McBRIDE HIGH.

Name—Position.	Field Goals	Foul Goals	Pts.	Fls.
Cochrane, right forw'd	1	0	2	4
Keaney, right forward	0	0	0	1
Dennis, left forward..	3	0	6	2
Rankin, left forward.	0	0	0	0
Bufe, center.........	2	0	4	0
Moore, right guard...	0	0	0	0
Powell, left guard....	1	0	2	1
Kavanaugh, left guard	0	0	0	0
Totals............	7	0	14	8

McBRIDE ALUMNI.

Name—Position.	Field Goals	Foul Goals	Pts.	Fls.
Morfeld, right forward	2	0	4	0
Thompson, right f'w'd	1	0	2	0
Giesler, left forward..	0	0	0	0
Skinner, left forward.	1	0	2	0
Dougherty, center....	0	1	1	0
O'Shaughnessy, center.	0	1	1	1
Durbin (c), right g'rd	2	0	4	0
Kelly, right guard....	0	1	1	0
Weil, left guard......	1	1	3	1
Feunel, left guard....	0	0	0	0
Totals............	7	4	18	2

Score at end of first half—McBride Alumni, 10; McBride varsity, 4. Referee—Regel (Y. M. H. A.). Timekeeper—Schweitzer. Scorer—Rosebrough. Time of halves—16 minutes.

Racing Results

At Jefferson Park.

Weather, cloudy; track, fast.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Agnes Sorel (C. Landolt) 6.00 3.40 3.00
Flagg Porter (L. Geving) 4.00 3.20
Attire (R. Simpson) 7.40
Time—1:14 4-5. Miss Runanteil, Pridie, Shasta Charmer, Don Caesar, Tearon, My Toots, Good Friend, Glying Van, Buddy M also ran.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
One Long Hop (C. Turner) 8.00 4.00 3.20
Patti Louise (J. Tiner) 6.00 4.40
Sam Cole (M. Dupuy) 3.20
Time, 1:13 4-5. Vagabond, Rob Don, Tracy Day, Coby, Goose Step, Bunnie East, Governor Peay, Swiftway and Gerardi also ran.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Elizabeth Sullivan (J. Renick) 16.40 7.20 3.40
Bourbon Maid (C. Yates) 5.20 3.40
Take Off (J. McCoy) 2.20
Time, 1:13. Hippias, Scot Free, Woodgain, Betty Bux, The Abbot, Golden Power, Vandal, La Dentelle also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Malaita (E. James) 7.80 4.00 4.20
Skibo (B. Hanford) 13.20 12.40
Ben Marshall (A. Yerri) 4.20
Time, 1:13. Irish, Whileaway, Betty Beau Gold Bet, Outpost also ran.

SCRATCHES.
First Race—Bainbridge, Thistle Duke, All Girls, Flower of Erin, Nin Nin, Little Coventry. Second Race—Mary Eloise, Sunview, Miss Peggy, Gleaming Star, Jim Shanahan, Chief Pettijohn. Third Race—King Lehr, My Beauty, Honeyman, Truly Movin, Prince Pat, Brinkley. Fifth Race—Jeb, Baker Apple, Jane McMillan, Dontados, Turf King, Herendeen, Sargasso, Don Tinky. Sixth Race—Sandy Lady, Slate, Tin Hat, Old Kid, Bearcry, Black Alice, Tommy, Marengo, Borough Monger. Seventh Race—Entice, Jargon, William J. Goldie Belle, Eye White, Lauhala.

At Havana.

Weather, clear; track, heavy.

FIRST RACE—Five and one-half furlongs:
Caravan (S. Ringe) .. 10-1 4-1 2-1
Colonel Seth (Feeney) ... 5-1 5-2
Trappy J. Demane 1-2
Time, 1:10 3-5. Lew Black, Blewaway, Evelyn L. Chester, Mad Sketch, Sun Rock, Sun Ranger, Matthew, Vandion also ran.

SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs:
Ad Remmcon (E. Neal) .. 7-1 5-2 6-5
Clap Rock (A. Aranda) .... 2-1 Even
Marshall Seis (J. Langdon) 1-2
Time, 1:10 3-5. Voyage, Loyola, Governor Pratt, Tester, La Grange, Milano, Sampass also ran.

THIRD RACE—Five and one-half furlongs:
Damocles (R. Watson) ..20-1 8-1 4-1
Shuffle Again (R. J. Fischer) 1-2 1-4
a-Airs and Graces (Diliddo) 6-5
Time, 1:10 2-5. Southern Beauty, Belial, White Spot, a-Black Finn, Steppin' On, The Lone Trail, Double Chin, Lightning Girl also ran. a-Willets and Zoeller entry.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Overboard (E. Neal) ....even 1-3 out
Druggist (G. Fowler) .... 5-2 out
Spanish Jack (J. O'Hara) .... out
Time, 1:14 4-5. Fig Leaf, Bad News Bob also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Patricia Ann (Pendergrass) 7-2 6-5 out
Guilder (Lauman) .... 4-5 out
Tryor (Dazzell) .... out
Time, 1:15 4-5. Rare Charm, Broom Shot also ran.

SCRATCHES.
First Race—Sky High, Ragabald, Eugene S. McCulloch, Davinci. Second Race—Stylish Mack, Nine Dollars, Chantry, Orestes II, Flying Express, Time Keeper, Fasciste, Ma Sun. Third Race—Old Tuck, Achtoi Lass, Beauty Belle, Spud, Beau Ideal, Dame Rumor. Fourth Race—Vast. Sixth Race—Elmer H., Mascara, Try Again, Cyrano.

Sport Salad

by L. C. Davis

There Goes Santy!

"TWAS the night before Christmas and all through the flat
Not a creature was sleeping, not even the cat;
The kids were awake, although tucked in their beds,
With visions of lollypops filling their heads.

Then out of the darkness there came a loud shot,
And Papa MacPherson appeared on the spot;
And hiding his grief in a tremulous cough,
He told them Santy had bumped himself off.

Help! Help!

We suggest that some one introduce a relief bill in Congress for the Postmaster at Santa Claus, Ind., who has to act the part of Kris Krinkle for the whole United States at his own expense.

The emoluments accruing to the Postmaster in a town of 60-count-'em-60 inhabitants are not of such magnitude as to cause a split in the Republican party over the appointment to the job.

Besides doing the work of a second-class postoffice, he has to go in the red for a couple hundred bucks to swing it.

Santa Claus may have reasons of his own for picking a town of 60 inhabitants for a distributing point, but it puts the Postmaster in a tough spot.

It's a cold winter in the Hot Stove League, and the minors are gradually coming in out of the draft.

Eddie Ran may be a suggestive name for a box fighter, but Eddie's friends claim he will win in a walk when he meets Tommy Grogan.

Ralph Greenleaf is playing a pocket billiard match with a Masked Marvel. Better watch your pockets, Ralph, when these masked marvels are working.

Most of them don't even take the trouble to wear a mask as it crabs their style, but they get away with it just the same.

The Chicago Bricklayers who play here Christmas day are the guys who built the chimney for Santa Claus and put the sock in soccer.

They will play a picked team, most of them picked from the Tablers.

"Flyer Breaks Mexican Jail."

He may have been a flyer but he was no jail bird.

"Zoning Ordinance Opposed by Mayor."

BY legalizing safety zones
The aim is fewer broken bones;
But our advice to everyone
Is keep your eye upon the gun.

A feeling of over-security may result in your downfall. All drivers don't believe in signs.

"Man Facing Chair Flees Through Chute."

A guy you can't electrocute,
When he prefers to chute the chute.

Safety Zone Ordinance Is Signed

"That's the guy that made a hole in one," said Santy as he dropped a ball of yarn and a darning needle in the golfer's stocking.

Power House Blues.

"Power Board Fires Men Who Fought Trust."

A LITTLE power now and then
Is exercised by power men.
For if they have the power to hire 'em,
They also have the power to fire 'em.

Iowa Beats Creighton.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—After two bad starts, the University of Iowa basketball team has finally wedged into the victory column. Coming from behind in a last half rally, the Hawkeyes last night defeated the strong Creighton College team of Omaha, conqueror of Pittsburg, 23 to 22. Kozer led the Hawkeye scorers with 10 points.

Look for Title.

Syracuse hopes to have a basketball championship this year with all five regulars of last season back. The team last year won 20 and lost one.

ROCKNE TOLD TO QUIT NUMEROUS EXTRA ACTIVITIES

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—The Knute Rockne of 1930, "a man with a thousand duties," is a figure of the past.

That was the consensus of the famous Notre Dame football coach's closest friends today after reading the advice of his physician to quit "the too strenuous life."

Just how far Rockne would go to appease his family, physician and friends was a matter of divided personal opinion. Many believed he would retire from active coaching and become director of athletics at Notre Dame. Some guessed he would take a year's leave of absence, while the majority were quite certain he would merely refrain from his many extra activities and devote all his time and attention to Notre Dame football.

The latter belief appeared most plausible. Upon his return from the Notre Dame-Southern California football game Dec. 10, Rockne told the Associated Press that he planned to "stop writing, speaking over radio and to luncheon clubs and all the extras that I have been trying to handle."

"All this extra activity, along with the natural worries a football coach has to contend with, has me fatigued," he said. "I've got to stop it or it's all going to stop me. I don't mean to complain but really I am kept jumping too much. Look at me now. I'm all in and really ill, but I can stay home but two nights and then I have to keep a date in New York for the charity football game between the New York Giants and the Notre Dame all-stars. After that I've got some speeches scheduled. Then I will go to Rochester, Minn., for a physical check-up and then jump out to Los Angeles again for another charity game. It's a hard job to get required rest."

Notre Dame officials today refused to make any comment, believing none was necessary until Rockne himself brought the matter up.

"ABC" LEAGUE SOCCER TEAMS PRACTICE FOR SEASON'S INAUGURAL

With the advent of the "ABC" League soccer season, the league members have started hard practices. As in previous years, Western Military Academy will not have an "A" or "B" team. This cuts down the schedules of other "ABC" schools and handicaps the Alton school in the point system.

Country Day School starts the season with six veterans. Probably the most outstanding of these are Morton and Swift, who were important cogs in the Codasco eleven last season. Swift, Stanard and McCord, all good men, are out temporarily with injuries. In addition, Goalkeeper Lamp was drafted for basketball. Last year the varsity team finished the season with a record of three victories, two defeats and one tie.

John Burroughs' prospects are good. Coach Haerrter has some strong lettermen and some fast new material. The lettermen are Howard, Hahnel, Turner, Rickey, Holt and Kammerer, who probably will not play on account of injuries sustained in the football season. The new players who have shown ability are Nolan, Kerwin and Jones. Last year Burroughs was the "ABC" League champion with six triumphs and no losses.

Little is known about the Principia team. The Cadets have only four veterans to start with and basketball probably will take some of their new material. Manton Riley is coach.

"I'D FEAR FIRPO MOST IF I HAD IT TO DO ALL OVER"—DEMPSEY

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—"If I had to fight my championship career over again I would fear a return bout with Luis Angel Firpo more than any man I have met."

Thus did Jack Dempsey, former world's heavyweight champion, review his long list of ring encounters before departing for Wilmington, Del., last night to spend the holidays with his wife, Estelle Taylor.

Asked if he was seriously planning a return to the ring, Dempsey gave an evasive reply.

"That punch I took in the first round from Firpo was the hardest I ever caught," he said. "I fought the first round on instinct, I guess."

Grasslands Victor Is Nominated for Grand National

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.

ALLIGATOR, recent winner of the Grasslands steeplechase, has been nominated by Mrs. Maud Stevenson for the Grand National steeplechase to be run at Aintree next March.

Alligator is an 11-year-old chestnut gelding by Iron Grey out of Florida. He is a clean jumper and a natural stayer, and should not be handicapped by Aintree's long course of 4 miles, 856 yards.

Only two Americans have won England's great steeplechase, Stephen (Laddie) Sanford with Sergeant Murphy in 1923, and A. C. Schwartz with Jack Horner in 1926.

NELLIE CUSTIS TOP WEIGHT IN AGUA FEATURE

By the Associated Press.

AGUA CALIENTE, Mexico, Dec. 24.—Nellie Custis, star sprinter of the Audley Farm stable, today was made topweight in the Christmas Day Handicap, which will open the 82-day Agua Caliente winter race meeting. The fleet mare will carry 117 pounds and probably will be ridden by Jockey Herman Schutte.

The first day of racing will include four sprints and three contests at a mile or more.

Scratches reduced the field in the handicap to 10 entries. However, some of the finest racers in training at Agua Caliente will compete in the six furlong headliner.

The horses and their weights in the handicap follow: Caruso, 112; St. Prisca, 107; Good and Hot, 105; Hatrick, 104; Hey Diddle Diddle, 106; Alexander Pantages, 112; Lamp Black, 106; St. Jim, 98; Shasta Bullet, 110; Nellie Custis, 117.

Alexander Pantages and Shasta Bullet will run coupled as the Lloyd and Rodney Pantages entry.

INGRAM TO CONTINUE AS NAVY GRID COACH

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 24.—Bill Ingram plans to remain as coach of the Navy football team.

The Sun yesterday received a telegram from the service school head football coach, sent from his home at Jeffersonville, Ind., in which he denied he was negotiating with the University of California to replace Coach "Nibs" Price, and said he would return to the navy.

"Am not negotiating with California. Have no idea of not returning to Navy," the telegram said.

Ingram was reported yesterday to be conferring with California officials in regard to replacing Price, who has resigned.

"Navy Bill" has just completed a five-year contract with the academy, and it was reported he was tendered a renewal for a two-year period. Navy athletics officials declined to discuss any of the reports.

LOOS, WITH 71, LEADS FIELD IN $25,000 EVENT

By the Associated Press.

AGUA CALIENTE, Mexico, Dec. 24.—The field in the qualifying round of the second annual Agua Caliente $25,000 open golf championship went into the final 18 holes today with Eddie Loos, Pasadena and Chicago professional, leading, by virtue of having turned in the only par score of the first 18 yesterday.

Only one other golfer, Dewey Longworth of Oakland, came even close to Loos' 71 as a high wind ruined scores for the majority of the 97 shot makers attempting to qualify. The Oakland man had a 72. Front tees were used.

The brisk wind was abetted by a mental hazard resulting from use of the new and lighter ball, which sent the scores skyward during the first half of the qualifying round. The cherished circle of 50 to be admitted from these qualifiers to the tournament proper opening Jan. 13, will be attained by a score of about 165 or under, for the 36 holes of qualifying play, as a result of yesterday's scores.

Top professionals and 10 or 15 amateurs will tee off in the battle for the awards totaling $25,000 when the open begins. Some 40 pros are eligible because of having been among those in the first 30 places in the national open and the P. G. A. tournament.

Jim Heaney of New York, coming in three over par, was third in yesterday's play, while five golfers were grouped with cards of 76 in fourth place and seven qualifiers took scores of 77 to bunch up in fifth.

Tony Manero, New Yorker, who won the Pasadena open recently, had an 80, which placed him in eighth place with nine other players.

71—Eddie Loos, Pasadena, Cal.
72—Dewey Longworth, Oakland, Cal.
74—Jim Heaney, New York.
76—Roy Tufts, San Diego; Fred Morrison, Los Angeles; Willard Hutchison, unattached; Willie Goggin, San Francisco; *F. Byerley, Portland.
77—Al Cameron, Agua Caliente; J. Thompson, Colorado Springs; Oscar Oman, Minnesota; Jack Tarrant, Los Angeles; Tom Rakletts, Akron; R. Guldahl, Dallas; M. E. Nagell, Buffalo.
78—Dallas Jeffers, Long Beach, Cal.; Al Zimmerman, Portland, Ore.; Chick Fraser, Los Angeles.
79—Chet Beer, Bakersfield, Cal.; Art Bell, Honolulu; Ivan Johnson, Portland, Ore.; Louis Nevy, San Francisco.
80—Bill Foley, Coronado, Cal.; Ray Mangrum, Texas; Tony Manero, New York; Ed Stokes, Denver; Cecil Smith, Denver; Clarence Clark, Tulsa; J. Perelli, Feather River, Cal.; Clark Spiers, Los Angeles; Art Roux, La Habra, Cal.; Frank Williams, Chicago.

*Denotes amateur.

Steckman Lowers Skating Record

Jim Steckman of the Sunset Park Skating Club, broke the 440-yard record last night at the Winter Garden. Steckman lowered the Class B mark to 45.6 seconds, 1.4 seconds faster than his former record. Ed Weidler and Tony Ginocchio, also of the Sunsets, were second and third, respectively.

Otto Brands, Winter Garden, defeated Jim Jamieson, also of the Winter Garden, and Melvin Dubinsky of the Con-Ferros, in 43.4 seconds. Dubinsky holds the 440-yard record of 42.2 seconds for the Class A skaters. Slow ice held the sprint stars back.

The intermediate boys failed to better their mark of 44.2 seconds as John Bretz, Winter Garden, covered the track in 45.8 seconds. Trueman Connell, Con-Ferros, was second and Dick Mills was third.

The Class C event was the first on the program, and the time was accepted as the Class C record, but is comparatively slow, being 47.6 seconds. This was set by Bob Schanzle, Roosevelt High, in his first heat. In the final Schanzle covered the track in 47.8, with Frank Teuth second and Chester Leibrum third.

This makes 14 new records to go on the books in the last two weeks out of 16 races.

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Dwight-H. Co.	$1 00	A. Hochberg	50
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M K	50	Marie	25
A B Moses	50	Viola	25
Busch	25	H E	25
Morton G	25	Crea	25
Thelma	25	R E T	25
Mary	25	J B	25
L B	25	H L S	25
Ann	25	E K	25
Minnette	25	Leaverta	25
Dorothy	25		
Sarah	25	Total	$8 00

Central District, Police Department.

A Amrhein	1 00	M Stanton	50
Geo E Stowell	1 00	M Moscowitz	50
Alp Beborn	1 00	H R Beber	50
M Sorenko	1 00	R E Finn	50
John Goerce	1 00	J G Schovaner	1 00
Slyde Peppers	1 00	h Stussie	50
V Rawlings	1 00	G H Schuette	1 00
H Dependahl	1 00	F R Fruin	50
W Schneider	1 00	Louis Schork	50
Hugo Thau	1 00	L A Dickson	50
C Rowland	1 00	Theo Roewe	50
P J Connors	1 00	F Shepard	50
E W Ries	1 00	M Griffin	50
E I Schroeder	1 00	Ivan Strank	1 00
H Eichelberger	1 00	L Trelford	50
E Grieser	1 00	T Holloran	50
Gordon	1 00	T Gauley	1 00
L E Sebold	50	Theo Hass	50
W Apperson	50	Eugene Albes	50
Wm Malone	50	C Turner	50
Jos Vollmer	50	J A Shay	50
Mandel	1 00	W J Waite	50
Wm Kuhlman	50	J T Riley	50
Andrew Paule	50	Wm O'Brien	1 00
John Ingram	50		
Wm Geisman	50	Total	$37 50

Eclipse Electric Co., 1224 Pine st.

J. J. Dillon	$1 00	R. E. Presser	50
H. F. Smith	50	E. Smith	50
C. Eckhardt	50		
G. E. Smith	1 00	Total	$4 00

St. Louis Law Prtg. Co., Fifth Floor, 415 N. Eighth st.

L. F. Hawkins	$ 50	G. G. Lewis	50
F. M. Asbury	50	Lee Mueller	50
W. C. Hill	50	E. Gutting	50
R. U. Petersen	50	Wm. Donius	50
M. L. Gross	25		
H. J. Myers	50	Total	$4 75

Elias Baba, 319 N. Tenth st

E. Baba	$1 00

S. M. Arnold, Inc., 2902 Olive st.

S. M. A.	$ 25	J. A.	25
L. T. A.	25	S. F.	10
G. W.	25	K. A.	25
W. M.	25		
A. L.	25	Total	$1 85

St. Louis Police Relief Association, Room 605, 1200 Clark av.

E H Wessler	$1 00	P J Shultz	1 00
C Schlingmann	1 00	W R Walton	1 00
R E Storm	1 00	C H Attebery	50
W Norman	1 00	C W Harlan	1 00
A Van Dover	1 00	W W Hess	25
V Wittenfeld	1 00	J Oesterreicher	1 00
Harry Ha[illegible]	1 00	J J Whitley	1 00
J N Sabeth Jr.	1 00	P E Haley	50
Henry Dreyer	1 00	J F Roach	1 00
Harold Diers	1 00	Capt W Stinger	1 00
R McFarland	25	L W Hoffman	50
Thos Dalton	1 00	C H Skaggs	1 00
H P Wessloh	1 00		
M Scheringer	25	Total	$23 25
P S Glasgow	1 00		

WOOD 15 MILLION YEARS OLD FOUND IN NORTHERN ALBERTA

One of Preserved Tree Trunks Is of Type That Grows in Japan Strengthening Theory.

By the Associated Press.

OTTAWA, Dec. 24.—Mummified for more than 15,000,000 years in the famed tar sands at McMurray in Northern Alberta, a deposit of preserved wood, thought to be the oldest in the world, has been unearthed. Geologists said the find was one of the most important scientific discoveries in recent years.

Government engineers disclosed today that the wood was uncovered last summer, by S. C. Ells, an engineer in the Federal Department of Mines and an internationally known expert on bitumin deposits.

Dr. I. W. Bailey of Harvard University in a series of microscopic studies of the wood has established that at least one of the preserved tree trunks is of a type that grows today in Japan. This discovery is seen as another link in the chain of evidence tying North America and Asia together in what was once one huge continent.

The growth rings of the ancient trees could be counted clearly when the deposit was uncovered, engineers reported. Even tiny insects which fed on the leaves and shoots of the growing trees were preserved and the leaves themselves were uncovered in fair condition. The wood could be whittled with a jack-knife.

The largest tree section unearthed in the preliminary excavation last summer was 40 feet long with a diameter of 14 inches.

The find was described as the only known deposit of Jurassic period vegetation preserved in its original state.

JUDGE MULLOY DISQUALIFIES HIMSELF IN SEWER HEARING

Exceptions to Report on Lemay Ferry District to Be Argued Before Judge Dearing of Potosi.

Circuit Judge Mulloy at Clayton voluntarily disqualified himself today from hearing exceptions to the commissioner's report of benefits and damages on property in the Lemay Ferry Sewer District, and set the date for the hearings on Jan. 5. He said that Circuit Judge Dearing of Potosi would conduct the hearings.

Following the commissioner's report, 2800 exceptions were filed by property owners who were advised and given free legal service by the Taxpayers' Protective Association, which has made an unremitting attack on sewer construction in St. Louis County under the Ralph law.

Assessed benefits in the district amounted to twice the estimated cost of construction. If the total benefits after the cases have been heard do not exceed the estimated cost, the district must be disincorporated. Hearing of the cases would require many months.

The order disqualifying himself set forth no reason and Judge Mulloy declined to explain his action.

WOMAN FOUND IN PARK SAYS SHE JUMPED FROM AUTO

Does Not Recall Name of Man in Whose Car She Was Riding.

Miss Pearl Glaves, 28-year-old shoeworker, who was found on a drive in O'Fallon Park suffering from a fractured skull, early Monday morning, regained consciousness yesterday long enough to tell detectives that she had been out with a man she knew and had jumped from his automobile when he attempted to force his attentions on her.

She asserted she was unable to remember the man's name, but recalled going for a drive and having several drinks. Detectives planned to requestion her today in the hope that she would remember the name. Miss Glaves spent the early part of the evening with friends at the Castle Dance Hall, Ewing avenue and Olive street, and after they departed, left with the man.

SUIT TO BLOCK PAYMENT OF SHARE OF ESTATE

Estranged Wife Asks That Bequest to A. F. Hays Be Turned Over to Receiver.

A suit to prevent payment tomorrow to Alden F. Hays of one-sixth of the estate of his father, James M. Hays, wealthy Jefferson City manufacturer, and asking that the money beturned over to a receiver, was filed in Circuit Court today by the son's wife, Mrs. Miriam Hays.

The petition states that payment to Hays would deprive her and their small daughter of maintenance rights. The Hays have been separated for some time and she is living in California.

It is explained that the estate, appraised at $250,000, under the terms of the will was to be held in trust by the Mercantile Commerce Bank and Trust Co. and that one-half was to be distributed to the widow, the son and a daughter tomorrow. James M. Hays died on Christmas day, 1923.

CHINESE GIRL, 19, LEADER OF RED BANDITS CAPTURED

Taken With 43 Followers After a Fight Declares She Welcomes Firing Squad.

CANTON, China, Dec. 24.—A 19-year-old girl, acknowledged leader of Red bandits who have treated helpless victims in Northern Kwangtung province with savage cruelty, has been captured, say dispatches today from Shiuchow.

Defiant, saying she welcomed the firing squad, the girl arrived at Shiuchow with 43 other Red prisoners captured by Government troops.

She was captured in a night attack by troops upon her headquarters, but only after she had killed or wounded several soldiers with her rifle.

DEATHS

Beun, Peter.
Carey, John R.
Curlee, Luna
Davis, Joe Dale
Delaney, Margaret
Dunseath, William J.
Grossgloss, Thomas
Halloran, Jeremiah.
Hart, Theodore J.
Holt, Barbara
Idleman, Louis
James, William E.
Jankosky, John
Kloepfer, Minnie
Knoblauch, August F.
Koenig, Caroline
Kuhn, George H.
McCullah, Jeremiah
Maxey, Marie
Muehlberg, F. W. Richard
Miller, Herman
Mullikin, Thomas
Neiser, Dora.
Noeth, Mathias
Peters, Frank
Remmers, Chas. J.
Roesberg, Minnie.
Simurino, Sam
Sloan, Mary A.
Steffen, Emma
Steger, Roy M.
Steimann, Magdalen
Stevens, Sallie
Strohm, Frances
Taylor, Caroline
Thompson, Catherine
Turcotte, Nelson
Vining (Kinney) John
Wagstaff, Grover C.

BEUN, PETER—Of 4049 Winnebago street, beloved brother of Marie and Johanna Liebaart and John Beun, our dear brother-in-law and uncle, age 56 years.

Remains at Witt Bros.' chapel, 2929 South Jefferson avenue. Funeral Saturday at 1:30 p. m., to St. Paul Churchyard. (c3)

CAREY, JOHN R.—Entered into rest on Monday, Dec. 22, 1930, at 6:45 p. m., beloved husband of L. Grace Carey (nee Greenwood) and dear father of Ellenor and John R. Carey Jr., and dear son, brother and brother-in-law, age 48 years.

Funeral on Friday, Dec. 26, at 9 a. m., from family residence, 2539 McKean avenue, to St. Pius' Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c3)

CURLEE, LUNA ROGERS—Died on Tuesday, Dec. 23, beloved wife of J. R. Curlee.

Funeral from residence, 300 South Sappington road, Kirkwood, Friday, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m. (c)

DAVIS, JOE DALE—Dec. 23, 1930, son of Maurice and Dora Davis and our brother. Funeral Friday, 10 a. m., McLaughlin parlors, 2301 Lafayette. (c)

DELANEY, MARGARET—Entered into rest Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1930, at 7:30 a. m., wife of the late John Delaney, dear mother of Nicholas and William Delaney, our dear grandmother, great-grandmother and mother-in-law.

Funeral from Geo. E. Mahler's funeral parlors, 4725 St. Louis avenue, Friday, Dec. 26, at 8:30 a. m., to Blessed Sacrament Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery. (c)

DUNSEATH, WILLIAM J.—Of 1016 S. Ewing av., on Saturday, Dec. 20, dear husband of the late Emma Dunseath.

Funeral from Schnur funeral home, 3125 Lafayette av., Friday, Dec. 26, at 8:30 a. m., to St Henry's Church Interment Calvary Cemetery Deceased was a member of Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employes Lodge No 242 (c)

GROSSGLOSS, THOMAS A.—3754 Robert avenue, on Monday, Dec. 22, 1930, at 11:55 a. m., husband of the late Christina (nee Doerr), dear father of Louis G. Grossgloss, dear son of Elizabeth Grossgloss, our dear nephew and cousin, in his forty-fourth year.

Funeral from Southern funeral home, 6320 S. Grand boulevard, on Friday, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m., to St. Matthew's Cemetery.

HALLORAN, JEREMIAH—Of 2124 South Compton avenue, on Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1930, dear uncle of Catherine and Margaret Buckley.

Funeral from Peetz funeral home, Lafayette avenue and Longfellow boulevard, Friday, Dec. 26, at 8:30 a. m., to the Immaculate Conception Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery. Omit flowers. (c3)

HART, THEODORE J.—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 12:45 a. m., beloved husband of Julia Hart (nee Bock), dear father of Melvon Gene Hart and the late Rodney Hart, and our dear son, brother, brother-in-law, son-in-law, uncle and nephew.

Funeral from Leidner chapel, 2223 St. Louis av. Due notice will be given. Deceased was a member of Keystone Lodge No. 243, A. F. and A. M., St. Louis Chapter No. 8, R. A. M., Alhambra Grotto, Carpenters' District Council and B. of L. F. E. No. 21.

HOLT, BARBARA (nee Kopac)—Of 5857 S. Kingshighway bl., on Wednesday, Dec. 24, 1930, at 3:25 a. m., beloved wife of George Holt, dear mother of Lawrence Hollmann, our sister, sister-in-law, aunt and niece, in her forty-sixth year.

Funeral from Wacker-Helderle chapel, 3634 Gravois av., Friday, Dec. 26, at 3 p. m., to Sunset Burial Park. Deceased was a member of the Osevla Lodge No. 23, J. C. D. (c)

IDLEMAN, LOUIS—Entered into rest on Monday, Dec. 22, 1930, at 1:30 p. m., beloved husband of Minda Idleman (nee Taylor), dear father of John Hall, dear brother of James and Lathero Idleman, and our dear brother-in-law.

Funeral from Arthur J. Donnelly parlors, 3846 Lindell boulevard, on Friday, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m. Interment in Bellefontaine Cemetery. (c)

JAMES, WILLIAM E.—On Wednesday, Dec. 23, at 8:45 p. m., beloved husband of Mary M. Merello James, and our dear father, grandfather and brother.

Funeral Friday, Dec. 26 at 8:30 a. m., at Cullen & Kelly chapel, 1416 N. Taylor, to St. Ann's Church, Normandy. Interment Calvary Cemetery. (c)

JANKOSKY, JOHN—Of 1203 South Vandeventer, on Wednesday, Dec. 24, 1930, dearly beloved husband of Josephine Jankosky (nee Baro), dear brother of Mrs. Edward Rabenberg, Mrs. Bert Leyster and Vincent Jankosky, our dear son-in-law, brother-in-law and uncle.

Due notice of funeral from Kriegshauser's chapel, 4104 Manchester avenue.

KLOEPFER, MINNIE (nee Schmidt)—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1930, dearly beloved wife of the late John J. Kloepfer, dear mother of Emma Kochendoerfer and Louise Jahns, dear stepmother of Charles, Fred, Richard Kloepfer, Emma Vogt, Julia Grote, John and William Kloepfer and our dear mother-in-law, sister, sister-in-law, grandmother and aunt.

Funeral Friday, Dec. 26, at 2:30 p. m., from the Suedmeyer chapel, 3934 North Twentieth street. Interment Friedens Cemetery. (c)

KNOBLAUCH, AUGUST F.—Age 72 years, of 201 East Schirmer st., Wednesday, Dec. 24, 1930, at 5 a. m., cousin of F. William Mayer.

Funeral from Hoffmeister chapel, 7814 S. Broadway, Friday, Dec. 26, 2 p. m. Interment New St. Paul Churchyard. (c)

KOENIG, CAROLINE (nee Martens)—Entered into rest on her seventy-second birthday anniversary, Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1930, at 9:30 a. m., at the German Protestant Orphans' Home, 8240 St. Charles Rock road, dearly beloved wife of the late Henry Koenig and our dear sister and aunt.

Funeral from the Provost chapel, 3710 North Grand boulevard, on Friday, Dec. 26, at 2:30 p. m., to St. Peter's Cemetery.

KUHN, GEORGE H.—Age 61 years.

Funeral Friday, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m., from Fendler Undertaking Co., 744 Lemay Ferry rd. Deceased was a member of Barbers' Union. (c)

McCULLAH, JEREMIAH—Of 2215 S. Seventh st., Wednesday, Dec. 24, 1930, at 8:30 a. m., beloved husband of Lena McCullah, dear father of Mamie Knelange and Rose Holman, dear brother of Mathilda Reutemann and Catherine Kurtz, our dear father-in-law, brother-in-law and uncle, at the age of 70 years.

Funeral Saturday, Dec. 27, at 2 p. m., from Weick Bros.' funeral parlors, 412 Duchouquette st., to New St. Marcus Cemetery. (c5)

MAXEY, MARIE—Entered into rest on Monday, Dec. 22, 1930, beloved daughter of John and the late Ida Maxey (nee Sweeney), dear sister of Mr. Fred Stuart and Mrs. Walter Wooyer and Mrs. Edw. de Geere, Ida Belle and Sharlotte and Monroe Maxey.

Funeral Friday, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m., at Croghan funeral home, 7146 Manchester av. Interment Oak Hill Cemetery.

Phoenix (Ariz.) papers please copy. (c)

MILLER, HERMAN—On Wednesday, Dec. 24, 1930, at 2:30 a. m., beloved son of Fred and Emma Miller, dear brother of Fred Jr., Joe, John, Ernest, Albert and George Miller, Isabelle, Gertrude and Evelyn Miller and Mrs. H. Hageman and Mrs. W. Tod, Mrs. A. Lilliecraf (nee Miller).

Funeral from residence, 602 Marceau street, on Friday, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m., to Mt. Hope Cemetery. (c)

MUEHLBERG, F. W. RICHARD—At Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 19, 1930, beloved husband of Frances Merkle Muehlberg, father of Clarence E. Muehlberg.

Funeral Saturday, Dec. 27, at 2 p. m., from Weick Bros.' funeral home, 2201 South Grand boulevard, to Valhalla Mausoleum. Deceased was a member of Keystone Lodge No. 243, A. F. and A. M.; St. Aldemar Commandery No. 18, K. T., and Moolah Temple. (c5)

MULLIKIN, THOMAS—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1930, at 8:35 a. m., dear father of Alfred, John, Mrs. Effie Hobusch, Mrs. Lucy Klemme, Charlie, Mrs. Etta Stewart and Mrs. Grace Smith, dear father-in-law, grandfather, great-grandfather, brother and uncle, age 66 years.

Funeral from the Leidner chapel, 2223 St. Louis avenue, Friday, Dec. 26, at 1:30 p. m. Interment St. John's Cemetery. (c)

MEPHAM, GEORGE S.—Entered into rest Wednesday morning, Dec. 24, beloved husband of Lizzie L. Mepham.

Funeral from residence, 4457 Westminster place, Saturday, Dec. 27, at 2 p. m. Interment private. (5)

NEISER, DORA (nee Kolkman)—Asleep in Jesus Monday, Dec. 22, 1930, at 3:20 a. m., beloved wife of George M. Neiser, dear mother of Mrs. Richard Klein, Mrs. William Grommet, Martin, George and Henry Neiser, dear mother-in-law, grandmother, sister-in-law and aunt, at the age of 59 years.

Funeral Thursday, Dec. 25 at 2 p. m., from residence, 4111 Wyoming street, to Holy Cross Lutheran Church, thence to Concordia Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Ladies' Auxiliary, Concordia Aid Association, Branch No. 2, and Frauenverein and Orphan Society. (c3)

NOETH, MATHIAS—Of 246 Bauman av., Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1930, husband of the late Marie Noeth (nee Graecher), dear father of Victor, Mat, Peter, Edward and William Noeth, Mrs. Mary Atchisson and Mrs. Rosie Scott, our father-in-law and grandfather.

Funeral from Hoffmeister chapel, 7814 S. Broadway, Friday, Dec. 26, at 10 a. m., to Park Lawn Cemetery. (c)

PETERS, FRANK—Of 2018 East Fair avenue, entered into rest on Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1930, beloved husband of Anna M. Peters (nee Schmitt), dear father of the late Mary Hotfelder, father-in-law of John Hotfelder, grandfather of Joseph and Frank Hotfelder, brother of Philip and the late George Peters.

Funeral on Friday, Dec. 26, at 8:30 a. m., from W. A. Stock funeral home, 2117 East Grand, to Perpetual Help Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Men's Sodality and Benevolent Society of Perpetual Help Parish.

REMMERS, CHARLES J.—Of 3111 Itaska, entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 24, 1930, at 3:30 a. m., beloved husband of Elizabeth Remmers (nee Ottman), dear father of Emil C. Remmers, brother of Jacob, William, Emil G. and Edward Remmers, our dear father-in-law, brother-in-law, grandfather, uncle and cousin, in his seventy-first year.

Funeral from the Schumac[illegible] funeral home, 3013 Meramec street, Saturday, Dec. 27, at 2 p. m., to New St. Marcus Cemetery. A member of Chopper Camp, No. 218, W. O. W., and Carpenters' Union, Local No. 47. (c5)

ROESBURG, MINNIE (nee Gebhardt)—On Monday, Dec. 22, 1930, at 7:45 a. m., beloved wife of the late Frank Roesberg, dearly beloved mother of Mrs. Minnie Arnitz, Mrs. Hilda Leibach, Mrs. Clara Wilmeck, Helen, Frank, Walter and Officer Fred Roesberg, our dear mother-in-law, grandmother and sister, at the age of 65 years.

Funeral Friday, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m., from Weick Bros.' funeral home, 2201 S. Grand bl., to New St. Marcus Cemetery.

SIEVERS, ADELAID—Dec. 23, beloved mother of Raymond M. Cecil, D. Claude W. and Ralph Sievers.

Funeral services at Alexander & Sons, 6175 Delmar boulevard, Friday, Dec. 26, 2 p. m.

SIMURINO, SAM—Age 42 years, on Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 6 a. m., beloved husband of Mary Simurino, dear father of Annie, Violet, Sam and Joseph.

Funeral Friday, Dec. 26, at 8:30 a. m., from residence, 16 South Seventeenth street, to St. Joseph Church, to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. (c)

SLOAN, MARY A. (nee Newell)—On Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1930, at 7 a. m., widow of John A. Sloan, dear mother of Jennie and William Sloan; in her ninety-second year.

Funeral from family residence, 5014 Raymond avenue, Friday morning, Dec. 26, at 8:30 o'clock, to St. Mark's Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery. (c)

STEFFEN, EMMA—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1930, at 9 a. m., dear sister of Mrs. Anna Warfield, Mrs. Pearl Woodworth, Oscar H., Edith M. and Calvin S. Steffen and our dear sister-in-law and aunt.

Funeral Friday, Dec. 26, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 2402 Longfellow avenue, Overland, Mo., to Valhalla Cemetery. Funeral private. Pleitsch service.

STEGER, ROY M.—Of 3859 Fairview avenue, on Wednesday, Dec. 24, 1930, at 4:25 a. m., beloved husband of Bertha Steger (nee Robertson), dear son of William H. and Mary E. Steger (nee Harnden), our dear brother, brother-in-law, uncle, nephew and cousin, in his thirty-ninth year.

Funeral from Wacker-Helderle chapel, 3634 Gravois avenue, Friday, Dec. 26, 1930, at 1:30 p. m., to New St. Marcus Cemetery.

STEIMANN, MAGDALEN (nee Hug)—Of 2317 Oakview Ter, on Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 7:45 a. m., dear wife of the late Casper H. Steimann, dear mother of Herman and Leo Alelmann, Mrs. J. Grissberger, Mrs. J. N. Thompson, Mrs. J. B. Thogmartin, George and William Steimann, and Mrs. J. J. Gremmier, dear stepmother of Mrs. A. E. King, dear sister, mother-in-law, grandmother, great-grandmother and aunt.

Due notice of funeral from Kriegshauser's new funeral home, 4228 S. Kingshighway bl. will be given. (c)

STEVENS, SALLIE—Dec. 23, 1930, dear sister of Ida Hachtel and our dear aunt.

Funeral Friday, 2 p. m., from 4336 Hartford street. McLaughlin undertakers in charge. (c)

STROHM, FRANCES—Entered into rest Dec. 23, 1930, at 2 a. m., beloved sister of Kossuth and Columbus Strohm.

Funeral Friday, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m., from residence, 211 S. Van Buren av., Kirkwood, Mo. Omit flowers. (c)

TAYLOR, CAROLINE—Entered into rest at Evanston, Ill., Dec. 23, 1930, beloved mother of Josephine and Harry Taylor.

Funeral from the residence of Mrs. Shirley G. Weber, 526 East Monroe avenue, Kirkwood, Friday, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m.

THOMPSON, CATHERINE (nee Gibbons)—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1930, at 8:20 a. m., beloved wife of the late Charles Thompson, dear mother of Mrs. Emily Heberer and Charles S. Thompson, Mrs. Charlotte Hoffmann, dear mother-in-law of Mr. Charles F. Heberer, Mrs. August G. Hoffmann, 4522 Clarence avenue, on Friday, Dec. 26, at 8:30 a. m., to Holy Rosay Church. Interment in Calvary Cemetery. (c)

Funeral from residence of her daughter, Mrs. August Hoffmann, 4322 Clarence avenue, on Friday, Dec. 26, at 8:30 a. m., to Holy Rosary Church. Interment in Calvary Cemetery. (c)

TURCOTTE, NELSON—On Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1930, at 2 a. m., husband of the late Hortense Turcotte, dear father of Cloude Girard, Joseph and Nelson Turcotte, Lillie Asbry, Charles, Ben Turcotte, Mrs. John Wortmann and Julius Turcotte, our dear father-in-law, grandfather, great-grandfather and great-great-grandfather, at the age of 90 years.

Funeral from residence of his daughter, Mrs. John Wortmann, 3850 Louisiana avenue, Friday, Dec. 26, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Anthony Church, thence to Mount Carmel Cemetery. Deceased was a member of G. A. R (c)

VINING (KINNEY), JOHN—On Wednesday, Dec. 24, 1930, at 7:30 a. m., beloved husband of Nellie Vining (nee McCarthy), dear father of Anna, John and William Vining, dear uncle and brother-in-law.

Funeral from residence, 5504A Easton avenue, Saturday, Dec. 27, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Rose's Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery. Stuart service. (c5)

WAGSTAFF, GROVER C.—Of 3635 Morganford, on Monday, Dec. 22, at 5:30 p. m., beloved brother of Robert, James and Leonard Wagstaff, and our dear uncle and brother-in-law.

Funeral Friday, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m., from Hauck & Schmitt parlors, 3732 S. Grand bl. Interment New St. Marcus' Cemetery. (c3)

PERSONAL

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FREE employment bureau at Victor Spiritual Church 3014 Pine. First-class help for all work. Rev. Mrs. J. D. Duke, president, LIndell 7665. (c83)

FREE to church festival. Clabber Girl Baking Powder. Write Hulman & Co., Terre Haute, Ind. (c83)

HALL—For dances and special occasions for rent, cheap: Saturday nights, Xmas and New Year's evenings: open Call HIland 0374. (c83)

SEALED PROPOSALS

SEALED BIDS—For the completion of the Home Economics Building at the University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo., will be received at the office of the secretary of the Board of Curators of the University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo., until 11 a. m., Tuesday, Dec. 30, 1930. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. Plans and specifications may be had by addressing Jamieson and Spearl Architects Arcade Bldg., St. Louis, Mo., or Leslie Cowan, secretary, University of Missouri. A deposit of $25 will be required for each set of plans issued.
LESLIE COWAN, Secretary,
University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo.
(c19)

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the G. H. Packwood Manufacturing Co. will be held at the offices of the company, 2122 Walnut st., in the City of St. Louis, Mo., on January 8th, 1931, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing four (4) directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it. Polls open from 9 o'clock a. m. until 12 o'clock noon.
G. H. PACKWOOD JR., President.
BRUCE SEDDON, Secretary.
St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 24th, 1930. (c6)

ELY & WALKER DRY GOODS CO. STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING — The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Ely & Walker Dry Goods Co., for the election of directors, to serve during the ensuing year and for the transactions of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, Washington av. and Sixteenth st., St. Louis, Mo., on Saturday, the third day of January, 1931, at 9 o'clock a. m. E. P. CAVE, President.
Attest: HARRY J. W. NIEHAUS, Secretary.
St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 6, 1930.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING — The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Laclede Stoker Co. for the election of four directors, to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company 4436 Hunt av., St. Louis, Mo., on Wednesday, Jan. 21, at 9 a. m.
FRED W. PRIEP, President.
Attest: HENRY F. WELSCH, Secretary.
St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 24, 1930. (c5)

LOST AND FOUND

Miscellaneous Lost

BABY BUGGY WHEEL—Lost, wheel wooden, rubber tires. 5706 E. Virginia. HUdson 0460W. Reward. (c)

BOXES—Lost: in Forest Park, Monday morning, 2 boxes, containing curtains and drapes; liberal reward; no questions asked. FOrest 0373. (c5)

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OVERCOAT—Lost; young man's, from car at or near filling station, De Baliviere and Delmar; $10 reward. No questions asked if returned to 37 Portland pl. (c6)

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Dogs Lost

BIRD DOG—Lost; pointer; liver spotted, male; reward. VIctor 2759W. (c6)

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POLICE PUP—Lost; female; Saturday; vicinity Florissant; name Nippy; reward. COlfax 1036W. (c3)

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HOUSEKEEPER — 25 to 30 years white; reasonable salary; mother home; willing to travel. For appointm call JEfferson 0041 3 to 6 p. m. Wed day. Mr. De Feuer.

LADIES—Real Silk Hosiery Mills can 2 high-class ladies in launching our h price offer; good compensation, thoro training in salesmanship if you qua Apply Mr. Powell, 813 Arcade Bldg. (c

LAUNDRY HELP—Experienced shirt isher and body ironer. Glick Laund 5190 Delmar.

LAUNDRY HELP—Colored; experien know how to stretch and finish curta Glick Laundry, 5190 Delmar.

TYPIST— 3471 S. Grand.

WOMAN—Young, white, plain cook housework; Christmas week only. C any 0375M.

SALESWOMEN WANTED

SALESLADIES—Experienced; good opp tunity to become crew managers. at 5001A Cates after 3 p. m

FOR SALE—WANTED

JEWELRY, GOLD, SILVER

Wanted

HIGHEST prices paid for old gold, brok jewelry, diamonds. Miller, 802½ Pine

For Sale

DIAMOND RINGS—Two; lady's; karats; beautiful; reasonable; priva 1444 N. 23d. (c53

DIAMOND RING—Lady's; and solitai bargain, private. 2324A St. Louis.

COAL, COKE AND WOOD

COAL $4.25 PER TON

Extra standard, hand-picked and sha screened, lump or egg. Do not conf this with cheap coal hauled from the mi

Century Coal Co. GRand 2312 (c

GENERAL COAL CO.

"WARM FRIEND COAL." LUMP, $4; EGG, $3.75; NUT, $3.25. Call GRand 1166-1167. Open till 10 p.

WONDER COAL

Lump, $4 ton; eggs, $3.75. Victor 12

REAL LUMP COAL

4½ to 6 ton loads, $4. GArfield 88

PETROLEUM COKE — $8.50 per ton; and breeze coal; Kentucky Hi-Grad $5.50, Perry County lump or egg, go clean coal $4.25; delivered on approv prices for city delivery during this m weather only. EAst 7145.

SPECIAL CLEAN LUMP, ONE TON, 2, $4.50; 3 $4.25; loads, $4. GRand 71

CALL FOSTER, JEFFERSON 2718-19. Clean lump, 4½ to 5 tons, $4; 2 to $4.75; 1 ton, $5. Delivery today.

SPECIAL FURNACE LUMP, $3.50 Mine run, $3.25; nut, $3.25. CE. 676

BUY NUT COAL, FOUR TONS, $3.50. 2 tons, $4 1 ton, $4.50. Jefferson 271

AA STANDARD, good coal, $4 ton, in ton lots. GRand 6419W.

ABSOLUTELY good coal, $4.50, 2-t lots; $4.75, 1-ton lots. MUlberry 647

CARTER'S clinkerless coal, quality gu anteed low as $3.50. COlfax 8396W.

COAL — Double screen; no dirt; lum $4.50; Hi-grade, $5.50; egg, $4.25; n $3.75; prompt delivery. HIland 8471. (c

COAL—Trucks loaded Prairie Mine, 4 miles east French Village, route 12, ha mined shaft, shaker screen; no delay. A Coal Co., Ry. Ex. Bldg. MAin 4830.

COAL—Good, clean lump, egg or nut co The quality and cost will surprise yo Call GRand 2757R, evenings or Sunda

COAL — Direct from mines; mine ru $3.25; nut, $3.25; clean lump, $3.75; weight; load lots. Riverside 4980.

COAL—Good clean, deep-shaft, lum $4.25 ton, nut, $3.50. Riverside 4919. (c53

COAL—Large lump, $3.50 per ton in lo lots; this month special. CHestnut 154

COAL—A1 hand mined; large lump, $3. 3½-ton lots. BRidge 3375J.

COAL right from the mines, quickly d livered. CEntral 8334.

COAL—Lump, $4; egg, $4; nut, $3. prompt delivery. FOrest 2082-2083.

GOOD Standard lump, $3.75; city weigh load lots. Riverside 6216.

COAL—Nut, $3.50; lump, $4, 3-ton loa prompt delivery. Victor 2762.

COAL—Screen, $2.35; nut, $3.50; lum $4.25; 1 ton, $5. CAbany 7332J.

COAL—Good clean lump, $3.75, $4, $4. $5 in 2-ton lots. MUlberry 6331.

COAL—High-grade. Call EVergreen 11 $4, $4.50, $5 a ton in 2-ton lots.

GENUINE Franklin Co. lump egg, $6. Troy sootless or Kathleen, Special lump or egg, Vogel Ice & Coal Co., CEntral 9252.

GOOD LUMP COAL, $4-$4.50-$4.75 immediate delivery GArfield 46

LARGE LUMP, $4.50; Mount Olive $5. Franklin County, $6.25. GArfield 96

LUMP COAL—$4 ton, 2-ton lots; phone day or night. HIland 8813.

2 TONS, $9; lump or egg. Nut, 2 tons, $8.50. GArfield 9616.

SPECIAL—Large lump, $4.25 ton; 2 to $4.50; 1 ton, $5. JEfferson 5039.

FURNACES FOR SALE

WARM AIR FURNACES—Lowest price average 5-room bungalow, $159 c complete, installed; terms; estimates fr Call FOrest 1000 or PRospect 6110. Sear Roebuck & Co.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

ARCADIA POOL TABLE CO. akers of miniature pool tables, a Xmas or the family; all sizes; also used iniature golf; on display at our show 1430 Olive st. CEntral 8303. Open ngs and Sunday. Cash or terms. (c8)

STOKER—For home use; fits any ace; automatic; with thermostat. Call WAbash 438. (c53x)

BUGGY—Large, cupboard, dishes. 64 Miami. PRospect 7020. (c)

CTRIC SUNSHINE LAMP — And with motor; also exercising machine; new; real bargains. Meehan, 3154 Grand. Open evenings. (c

OTGUN — Remington automatic, and ; 12-gauge; $30. 4968 Northland.

PAULINS—6x8 feet, khaki, waterproofed, $1.95; other sizes at bargain Le Roy Tent, 3621 Gravois.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

ASD GUN Wtd.—Air-tight. Cabany 2900. (c)

ANIMALS

DALE PUPPIES—3, female; thoroughbreds; papers furnished; reasonable. own 0060. (c3)

TON TERRIER PUPPIES — Highly gred; show type; fine pets for children. 6289 Magnolia. (c3)

TON TERRIER PUPPIES—Pedigreed; ly marked; dogs at stud. 4452 hington. (c83)

TON TERRIERS—Beautiful, 3 months males; pedigreed. 4315 Delmar. (c3)

TON TERRIER PUPS—And grown; igreed, cheap. 4027 North Market.

S—Another lot of beautiful wire fox riers arrived. Sunset Kennels. (c3)

TERRIER PUP—Wire-haired, outding. Dorothy Heisele, 5017 Grace. (c80)

TEN—Color bred, pedigreed, Persian. 45 Lindell (c3)

SET KENNELS—Sappington, Mo., on avois 4 houses west Busch's-Grant's m; Chow, Pekingese, Boston, Fox Ter. Scotties, Pomeranians, Spitz, Schnautz. selling at bargain prices; make room. ton 6632. (c15)

BICYCLES—MOTOR CYCLES

YCLE—Boys' and girls'; cheap; side lk bicycle, $5. 4319 Manchester.

BUILDING MATERIAL

Roofing Material

L ROOFING—Smooth and slate surface, first and seconds, 65c a roll and shingle metal roofing and all kinds roofing material at attractive prices souri Steel and Wire Co., 1406 N adway. (c34)

CLOTHING

Wanted

SOLUTELY best prices paid on old suits, to $8. GAr 7021, 1105 Franklin. er 6 p. m., PArk. 4853. Auto calls. (8)

T PRICES for men's suits, overcoats, ts, shoes, ladies' dresses; pay $6 to CAbany 5206. Auto calls. (8)

For Sale

ESSES—Ladies' silk and cloth; $1; e 16-36; two ladies' coats. 422 Laurel south. (c80)

N'S SUITS—Factory returns; originally $35 to $45, now selling from $6 to .50. Open evenings to 9 p. m.; Sunday, p. m. "Live and Let Live," 2136 Market (c8)

ALITY CLOTHES for women and men. utiful fur coats and fox chokers from lthy society people; wonderful bargains. Sales Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays, Mondays, 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Society drobe Exchange, 3109 S. Grand. (c73)

MACHINERY

For Sale

TORS—Sell or rent, all sizes new and sed; wiring, repairing and installing. me Electric Co., 221 Market st. (c80)

Machine Shop Work

CHINERY—Heavy machine work. John mming Machinery Co., 308 S. 1st st. (c15)

POULTRY AND BIRDS

RROT—Good talker, with cage. 3616 bert.

TORE AND OFFICE FIXTURES

MEOGRAPHS, multigraphs, addressographs, dictaphones, supplies, repairing. uitt, 1904 Olive. (83)

Refrigerators

FRIGERATORS—Electric, bought, sold, exchanged and serviced. CEntral 6115. (c8)

TYPEWRITER AND ADDING MACHINES

RISTMAS typewriter, $10 up; any ake. Union Co., 20 N. 9th. 2d floor. (c26)

PEWRITERS, $4.99; best $24.99; rent, applies. Knights, 1512 Locust. GA. 00. (c99)

DERWOOD—Royal typewriters, $15-50; lowest rentals. St. Louis Typewriter, 2 Arcade Bldg. MAin 1162. (36)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE

DROOM SUITE—Overstuffed suite, eakfast set, rugs, dealers. 5219 Cates. (c5)

AIRS—Big selection; pull-up, $4.95; ice gifts, real values. 4527 Olive. (c3)

IGIDAIRE—Large, never used, save $155. CEntral 9222. 1004 N. Broadway. (c80)

RNITURE—Discontinuing our household furniture department, we offer several eakfast suites, bedroom suites and dining on suites, late designs; big bargains r cash. Elderbrake Mfg. Co., 1017 Lucas. (c80)

RNITURE—Two floors, new and used, ighest quality, lowest prices. Princeton, 29 Delmar. Open evenings. (c8)

RNITURE—4 rooms, good condition; crifice; no dealers. 6242 Cabanne. (c80)

USEHOLD GOODS—13 rooms, like new; ll separate; dealers. 4109 Olive. (53x)

S—All kinds and sizes. Empire Carpet Cleaning Co., 3514 Olive st. (c83)

OVES—Gas, coal and combination ranges, $5 to $35; Westinghouse electric. Red Star gasoline, $15; heaters $6 $12; hot-air circulator, $35. Sloan's, 67 Hodiamont.

ACUUM CLEANER—Eureka, with attachments, $15. 4627 Steffens. RIv. 01J. (c)

ACUUM CLEANER—Hoover; practically new. 5583 Vernon. (c3)

BARGAINS IN ELECTRIC WASHERS. Edens, $29.50; Humanity, $42.50; Central wringer, only $58; also 2 Maytags, real bargains. Meehan, 3154 S. rand. Open evenings. (c3)

ASHERS—Electric, reasonable; repairing. Rose Sales, 5421 Gravois. RIv. 4104 (c35x)

ASHER—Agitator type, practically new; bargain. Dealer. 5416 Pennsylvania. (c3)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED

NDIRONS Wtd.—Furniture, carpets, contents flats, dwellings; any amount; need ods badly; best prices. Schober. CHestnut 5394. (c8)

NTIQUES—Modern furniture wanted; highest price paid. Hazzard. FRanklin 94. (6)

ARPETS Wtd.—Rugs and furniture; all kinds wanted badly; highest prices paid. Garfield 6228. Sundays or evenings. Call Cabany 5294 or FOrest 8952. (c8)

RNITURE Wtd. — Pay well. Selkirk Auction Co., 1808 Chouteau CHestnut (c8)

RNITURE, rugs, contents of flats, dwellings, apartments. D. Goldberg, Franklin 7383. (12)

0,000 POUNDS old feathers, 30c lb. Montana Feather Co., 1105 Franklin. GA.7021 (8)

MUSICAL

Instruments For Sale

ANJOS—Saxophones, violins, drums and all musical instruments at reasonable prices. Open evenings. J. PLACHT & ros. 609 Pine.

IOLIN—Lyon & Healy Cremonotone; made in France; complete outfit, including alligator case, bow and accessories. Forest 5968. (c3)

Tuning and Repairing

XPERT talking machine repairs; main springs, $1.50. 1825 S. Broadway. Victor 1961. (c)

Pianos and Organs For Sale

ANOS—Players, $15 to $50; uprights, $10 to $25; Victrolas, $5 to $15, delivered and guaranteed. Sloans, 1167 Hodiamont.

TROUD player-piano; remodeled and tuned; $85. 10 Hortus court, center 400 block Magnolia. (c83)

RADIO

Radio Service

ALL SERVICE CALLS
75c; 12 YEARS' EXPERIENCE
Work guaranteed. Pioneer Radio Co., 4736 Delmar. FOrest 0460. 4513 Easton. DElmar 4824. 2439 N. Grand. FRanklin 0354.

SERVICE CALLS—75c; trouble found or no charge. Harry's. EVergreen 5101. (c8)

Wanted

RADIOS Wtd.—Give cash or typewriters. Knight's, 1512 Locust. GA. 5600. (c99)

IF you want to sell your electric radio, call GArfield 7533. (c3)

For Sale

MAJESTIC—Highboy, model 72; first-class condition; bargain. 5416 Pennsylvania. (c3)

MAJESTIC — Highboy; $89, complete; terms. Schmitt Music, 3749 S. Jefferson. (c8)

MIDGET—$59.50 value, complete at $22.75; new consolettes, $87.50 value, complete, $49.85; open evenings. 4336 Natural Bridge. (c3)

NEW SILVER MARSHALL—Electric, latest model, lowboy, console complete with dynamic speaker and tubes; $200 value for $49. PRospect 7604. 3419 S. Grand. (c3)

RADIO—$325 all electric radio, exquisite cabinet, perfect tone, $50. 40 Sunset Court. ATwater 826J. (c3)

RADIO—All electric; new, $19.50; open Xmas; other bargains. Reliable Radio Exchange, 1007 Franklin.

RADIO—Good condition, $20. 1525 Obear av.

RADIO—7-tube, all-electric, complete with speaker, $16.50. 4535 Newberry. (3)

AUTOMOBILES

Wanted

$25,000 CASH FOR AUTOS

And trucks, late models; mortgages paid. MONARCH, 3137 Locust. (c8)

AUTOS—All latest models bought, cash; mortgages paid. 2819 Gravois. LA. 5910. (c8)

AUTOS bought; loans; any age, any time. Klink, 2246 S. Grand GRand 5385. (c8)

BROCK MOTOR buys used cars for cash. 4418 Olive-Newstead. JEfferson 8200. (c79)

FORDS, Chevrolets, 100 cars; highest prices; we pay your notes; bring title. NEwstead 0467. 3856 Easton. (c8)

FORDS, CHEVROLETS Wtd.—Cars and trucks; cash paid. 3114 Cass. (12)

ABSOLUTELY all autos and trucks wanted Wreckers, 4319 Easton. FRanklin 7561. (c8)

TRADE in 1926 Chevrolet and cash for 1929; must be bargain; to private party; no dealers. EVergreen 5667. (c)

WHIPPETS Wtd.—Fords, Chevrolets; will pay your mortgage, reimburse you if car is desirable. CAbany 2900. (c)

Cabriolets For Sale

FORD—Model A convertible cabriolet; canary color, $295; terms. 4711 Natural Bridge. (c3)

Coaches For Sale

CHRYSLER 52—'28 coach; also '28 Durant, 4 pick, $195; '28 and two '27 Essex coaches, pick at $95; bargains; terms, trade. Penn, 3816 W. Florissant.

CHEVROLET—1930 coaches, 2, slightly used; new guarantee. 7800 Forsythe. HARRIS-GILLIAM CHEVROLET. (c12)

CHEVROLET—Coach; perfect condition; 4 new tires; very clean car; $45 down; trade. Open evening. 2849 N. Grand. (c5)

CHEVROLET—Coach, perfect condition; real cheap; private. 1444 N. 23d. (c56x)

DURANT 6—Coach; latest 1929, like brand-new; will sacrifice; $295; $100 down. Open evenings. 2849 N. Grand. (c5)

FORD—Special Christmas price reduction: Ford, Dodge, Nash and Pontiac coaches and sedans; reconditioned and guaranteed; terms; trade. Ayres Auto, 720 Cass. Open Sunday.

MORTGAGE SALE

'26 Overland coach	$ 35
'26 Ford tudor	45
'26 Chevrolet coach	45
'26 Oakland coach	65
'26 Ford coupe	45
'27 Chevrolet coupe	85
'26 Dodge coupe	95
'28 Essex coupe	145
'27 Chrysler coupe	195
'27 Chevrolet landau	95
'26 Dodge sedan	95
'26 Hudson brougham	95
'27 Packard 8 sedan	195

OTHER BARGAINS, 3521 PAGE. Open evenings. (57x)

FORD—10 coaches, coupes, sedans, roadsters, $35 each; terms. 2506 S. Jefferson. (c53x)

Coupes For Sale

CHEVROLET—10 late coupes, coaches and sedans, $35 up. Trade, terms. 2506 S. Jefferson. (c53x)

CHEVROLET—Sport coupe, 1930; just like new; low price. ROBERTS CHEVROLET, 5885 Delmar.

CHEVROLETS—4 coupes, from $75 to $195; all in good condition. Tevis, Ford dealer, 3001 Locust. Always open. (c80)

CHRYSLER 52—Coupe; 1928; refinished dark blue; very classy; chromium plated; perfect; $195; $65 down. Open evenings. 2849 N. Grand. (c5)

FORD—1929 standard and sport coupes, reconditioned and guaranteed prices reduced; terms; trade. Ayres Auto, 720 Cass. Always open.

FORD—Sport coupe; late 1929; refinished; chromium plated; red wheels; very classy; $345; $115 down. Open evenings. 2849 N. Grand. (c5)

FORD—Model A standard coupe, 1929, like new, $175; terms. 4711 Natural Bridge. (c3)

FORD—Model T coupe; very good condition; private; $30 cash. 3735 Texas. LAclede 9651. (c)

FORD—Sport coupe, 1928; excellent condition; priced to sell; $70 down. ROBERTS CHEVROLET, 5885 Delmar.

FORD—1930 coupe, $395; also 1929 coupe, $295; terms. Tevis, Ford Dealer, 3001 Locust; always open. (c80)

FORD—1925 coupe; fine balloons; $35, at $10 down. Penn, 3816 W. Florissant.

HUDSON—Victoria, $150; wonderful condition; reason for sale, leaving city first of year. HIland 7910. (c3)

HUDSON—Sport coupe, 1931, driven 10 miles, $200 off, real bargain. 5145 Delmar. (c3)

OLDSMOBILE—Coupe, 1927, late; perfect in every way and sold at a bargain. ROBERTS CHEVROLET, 5885 Delmar. (c82)

STUDEBAKER—Coupe; 4-passenger; 1928; just like new; balance due, $263. 5145 Delmar. (c3)

Roadsters For Sale

DODGE—1927 maroon sport roadster, at $95; $30 down. Penn, 3816 W. Florissant.

FORD—Model A roadster, pickup body; $135; terms. 4711 Natural Bridge. (c3)

FORD—1930, demonstrator, low mileage; bargain. Ayres Auto, 720 Cass.

Sedans For Sale

Williams for Xmas

A new Dodge 6 sedan, $895; 8, $1195.
Plymouth, $699, delivered.
Fully equipped. Would make
A nice Xmas for all the family.
Time payment plan. Buy now.
First note due February.
Or a good used car at right price.
Guaranteed.

Dodge, 1931; 3 weeks	$750
Marquette, 1930 sedan	490
Gardner 8, 90, '28	375
Durant '29 coach	250
Chevrolet '26, late	90
Dodge D. A. de luxe roadster	575

40 others, all makes.
2809 N. GRAND. NEWSTEAD 1772.
4867 EASTON. FOREST 9348. (c53x)

AUBURN—Convertible phaeton sedan; 6 wire wheels; trunk, really neat, classy; bargain; $930 cost $2400. See any time. Grand-Lafayette Garage. (c83)

FORD—Tudor, 1929, like new; chromium plated; low mileage; guaranteed; $335; $110 down. Open evenings. 2849 N. Grand (c5)

FORD—Late 1929 model A Tudor sedan; like new; $225; terms. 4711 Natural Bridge. (c3)

FORD—1929 tudor; excellent condition; real cheap; private; terms. 2334A St. Louis. (c53x)

FORD—1930 tudor sedan, $425; also 1929 tudor, $275. Tevis, Ford Dealer, 3001 Locust. Always open. (c80)

FORD—Model A tudor sedan; late 1930; many extras; cheap. 4711 Natural Bridge

FORD—1930 town sedan, like new, $585; also 1929 town sedan, $485. Tevis, Ford Dealer, 3001 Locust. Always open. (c80)

FORD—1930 model A town sedan; like new; $395; terms. 4711 Natural Bridge.

FORD—1929 tudor, private; real buy, sacrifice, $235. HIland 7327. (c)

FORD—1929 model A Fordor sedan; like new; $245; terms. 4711 Natural Bridge.

STUDEBAKER—Sedan, 1926; new tires; cheap transportation for the family. ROBERTS CHEVROLET, 5885 Delmar.

STUDEBAKER—Sedan; 1929; 7-passenger; just like new; real bargain. 5145 Delmar.

STUDEBAKER—Sedan; 1931, free wheeling; driven 2400 miles; bargain. 5145 Delmar. (c3)

AUTOMOBILES

Touring Cars For Sale

LA SALLE—Late model phaeton; perfect; 6 wire wheels; must sell today; make offer. 5640 Gravois. (c53x)

Trucks For Sale

CHEVROLET—Truck, 1½-ton, 1930, panel body, repossessed after 1 month; perfect ROBERTS CHEVROLET, 5885 Delmar

CHEVROLET—Light delivery, 1929; new panel body; good looking, at a bargain. ROBERTS CHEVROLET, 5885 Delmar.

FORDS—10, used; Chevrolet and Republic stake and coal bodies; perfect; prices reduced; terms; trade. Ayres Auto, 720 Cass. Always open.

FORD—1927, late, clean panel delivery, $55. Ford pickup, $35 cash, real buys. HIland 7327. (c)

FORD—1926 panel body truck, only $45; $15 down. Penn, 3816 W. Florissant.

FORD—Model AA 1½-ton truck, late '29; real bargain, 4711 Natural Bridge.

TRUCKS—10, Fords, Dodges, Garford and Whites; all body types. Tevis, Ford Dealer, 3001 Locust, Always open. (c80)

Auto Trailers For Sale

CAMP CAR—Special-built; cash or trade business. PRospect 6966. (c)

Accessories, Parts—For Sale

PARTS all makes of autos, trucks; open Sundays. 6618 Easton. MUlberry 6971. (c8)

ANY part for any car. 16th St. Auto Salvage, 16th and O'Fallon. CHestnut 8715. (c8)

Auto Bodies For Sale

FORD and Chevrolet bodies, all models. COlfax 1195. 7320 N Broadway. (c8)

Tires For Sale

TRUCK TIRES — For Fords, Chevrolets, 32x5, 32x6, 33x5, 29x4.40; new cushion tires, fit on your old wheels; fronts, $15 pair; rear, $25 pair. MODERN AUTO PARTS, 1712 Lafayette. VIctor 4500. (c80)

TIRES—Two, 34x4½; never used; cheap. PRospect 6966. (c)

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY

North

ROOM AND BOARD—For 2, private entrance; near Fairgrounds. COlfax 1524W (c83)

Northwest

UNION, 2631A—Room and board; hot-water heat; private. MUlberry 7835. (c8)

WREN, 4972—Room and board for two employed. EVergreen 8607. (c12)

South

CLEVELAND, 3804 — Two lovely sleeping rooms for two; private family; excellent home cooking. LAclede 3458. (c8)

Southwest

BOARD—Gentleman; good neighborhood; owner's home; $6. HIland 7113. (c8)

West

CABANNE, 5029—Board, 1 or 2 ladies; also single room; Hodiamont car. (c8)

DE GIVERVILLE, 57xx—Room and board; small private family. CAbany 3026W. (c83)

FOUNTAIN, 4930—Room and board, for 3 or 4, 3 meals daily, $5. (c3)

RAYMOND, 5108—Room for 1 or 2; home cooking; private; 2 car lines. (c83)

WASHINGTON, 5071—Room, meals; at Academy, through to Delmar. (c12)

WATERMAN, 5057—Desirable room adjoining bath; board; home comforts; $8. (c8)

WATERMAN, 5050A—Large apartment rooms; also small, $7; unexcelled meals. (57)

WATERMAN, 5126—An attractive room for 2; twin beds; excellent meals.

WESTMINSTER, 4621—Lovely, warm, bright, second floor; board optional; $6. (c6)

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY

Central

LOCUST, 2844—Rooms, light housekeeping, sleeping; board if wanted. (c83)

North

GRAND, 1700 N.—Warm 2d floor housekeeping; also sleeping; reasonable. (c8)

GREENLEA PL., 4144—Warm; for 1 or 2; private family. (c80)

HEBERT, 3518—Steam-heated rooms, furnished or unfurnished. COlfax 8821W. (c12)

Northwest

ASHLAND, 4830—Neatly furnished bedroom, dining room, kitchen; garage. (c12)

CLAXTON, 4524—Large housekeeping room, also hallroom; private home. (c83)

MARCUS, 1709—2 connecting housekeeping rooms, sink; range; good heat.

NORTHLAND, 5312—2-room housekeeping apartment; private residence. MUl. 1733. (c8)

South

ARSENAL, 3435A—Large warm room, 2 or 3 men; board optional; car line, bus. (c8)

BOTANICAL, 3626—Newly furnished front living room; in-a-dor bed, kitchenette. (c80)

BOTANICAL, 3969A—Lovely room and kitchenette, also hall room; reasonable. (53x)

CASTLEMAN, 4056—Connecting housekeeping; sink; $5.50; garage, 75c; heat. (c80)

CASTLEMAN, 3827—Furnished rooms, gentlemen only; good location, $5 week. (c80)

GEYER, 3221—Lovely sleeping; private home; suitable 1 or 2; $4. (c80)

GRAVOIS, 6908—Comfortable single sleeping, private home; car passed door. (c8)

JEFFERSON, 2301 S.—Two connecting rooms for light housekeeping.

OREGON, 1912 — 2 large, clean, well furnished; sink, range; adults. (c8)

RUSSELL, 2830—Young lady, share warm, attractive room; private home. (c8)

TEXAS, 3300—Beautiful housekeeping, sleeping; all conveniences; board optional. (c8)

VICTOR, 35xx—Room; attractive apartment; real home. PRospect 3371. (c12)

Southwest

SCANLAN, 6735—Two rooms, large pantry; completely furnished; private bath; garage; adults only; references required. HIland 7805. (3)

West

BURD, 1388—2, for light housekeeping; prefer couple employed. (c83)

CABANNE, 6006—Sleeping room, single or double; private family; business women only. CAbany 3466W. (c83)

CATES, 5110—Newly decorated; single, 2 or 3 connecting; also sleeping. (c83)

DELMAR, 4721A—Large, desirable housekeeping; reception, bath, telephone; all $6.50. FOrest 3463.

DELMAR, 4143—Housekeeping rooms; 2d floor front; water in room. (c53x)

ENRIGHT, 5027—Front housekeeping room, $4.50; plenty heat; phone. (c80)

FOREST PARK, 4434—Second-floor housekeeping, $6.50; others $3.50 up. DEl. 4258 (c8)

KINGSHIGHWAY, 721 N.—Large well-furnished rooms, housekeeping optional.

LACLEDE, 4157—Lovely apartment, $8.50; combination kitchen hot-water heat.

LINDELL, 3805—Warm housekeeping suite, single and double sleeping rooms.

LINDELL, 3940—Attractive, newly furnished room; modern accommodations. (c8)

LINDELL, 4354A—Large front room for 1 or 2; $6; steam heat; garage. (c83)

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North

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CONFECTIONERY—Sale or trade for sedan or truck. 4066 Cottage. (c)

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GROCERY—And confectionery. 4186 Concordia. Call any time. (c53x)

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The dependable kind of house workers—cooks, maids, nursegirls, second girls and others—read Post-Dispatch Help Wanted Columns and are alive to opportunity.

REDISCOUNT RATE CUT IS FOLLOWED BY STOCK RISE

List Bounds Up About 2 to 7 Points but Loses About Half Its Gains in Last Hour Under Profit-Taking Sales—Trade Is Light

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Christmas favors were mostly for the long neglected bulls in a quiet pre-holiday session of the stock market today.

The list bounded up about 2 to 7 points in response to the reduction in the rediscount rate, but lost about half its gains in the last hour, under profit-taking sales. Trading came close to a standstill late in the day, a straders were more imbued with the festive rather than the speculative spirit. The closing tone was firm. Transfers were about 1,650,000 shares. The floor of the Exchange was decorated with Christmas trees and holly.

Such stocks as U. S. Steel, Bethlehem Steel, American Telephone and International Harvester closed about a point net higher, after making extreme gains of 2 points or so. American Can, Consolidated Gas, Anaconda, Worthington, American Tobacco B, American Water Works, Macy and Western Union closed up 2 to 3 points. Auburn rose 7, then lost half its gain. Of a five-point advance, Case had only 1½ points at the finish. Gillette was a soft spot, down 2 points to a new low.

The reduction of the rediscount rate bolstered foreign exchanges considerably. Sterling cables rushed up 5-32 of a cent to $4.85 13-16. The Canadian dollar advanced about ⅛ of a cent, nearly halving its discount.

Views on Rate Cut.

The favorable interpretation placed on the reduction in the New York Federal Reserve Bank's rediscount rate from 2½ to 2 per cent was in contrast to the rather cynical view which had been taken of some of the numerous reductions which has carried the rate down from the peak of 6 per cent, 14 months ago. During earlier months of the year, however, the bond market was strong, and credit not only cheap but readily available.

The heavy liquidation by banks of bond investments to raise cash has been one of the troublesome developments of recent weeks, and bond dealers hope the lower rate will encourage them to borrow from the reserve rather than dumping their investments.

The mid-week business statistics failed to do much to bolster the more cheerful attitude. The freight loadings figures, as announced for the second week of the month, showed a larger decline than is usual for that period. The weekly petroleum statistics showed a gain of more than 1,300,000 barrels in gasoline stocks on hand, despite repeated assertions by leading oil men that stocks must be kept down if the 1931 season of heavy consumption is to start auspiciously. Crude output, however, was curtailed further.

Anaconda Dividend.

The failure of Eastern trunk line railway executives to announce any tangible developments at the consolidation conference may have been a disappointment to quarters where much optimism has recently been expressed, but Wall street, in the main, has not been inclined to look for any immediate solution of the problem, and is apparently satisfied with reports that the carriers are nearer agreement than they have bene for some years.

Anaconda's declaration of its regular dividend was responsible for the rise in that stock, and helped the more cheerful sentiment which has be n manifest in copper circles in the past few days.

Coca Exchange Members Reinstated

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The board of managers of the New York Coca Exchange today reinstated J. H. Redding, R. G. Morris, H. W. King and United Africa Co., Inc., to full membership.

Sept. 18, last, these members were suspended for one year for violation of a rule which requires members to report stocks in warehouses. The action of the board restores them to full rights and privileges on the Exchange.

United Africa Co. is the American subsidiary of United Africa, Ltd., of London, one of the world's largest cocoa companies.

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TODAY'S NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

(COMPLETE)

SPECIAL ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.

SHARES SOLD NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Total sales today on the New York Stock Exchange amounted to 1,582,[illegible] shares, compared with 2,042,185 yesterday, 3,600,095 a week ago and holiday a year ago. Total sales from Jan. 1 to date were 789,247,031 shares, compared with 1,105,276,710 last year and 906,172,000 two years ago.

TABLE SYMBOLS Symbols: extras. (d) Partly stock. (e) Paid in [illegible] last year. (h) Paid so far this year. [illegible] stock. (k) Cash or stock. (l) Payable [illegible] Unchanged. ††Ex-dividend. [illegible] lot. *Exclusive of today. (x) High or low [illegible] years made in 1930.

COMPARATIVE STOCK MARKET AVERAGES.

	50 Industrials.	20 Railroads.	20 Utilities.	90 Total.
Wednesday	118.0	92.4	154.3	120.4
Previous day	116.4	91.9	151.8	118.8
Week ago	116.2	89.2	153.9	120.0
Month ago	133.1	101.1	173.1	135.4
Year ago	161.7	127.8	193.6	161.9
Two years ago	199.3	130.1	188.2	186.1
3 years ago, weekly average	147.2	122.8	126.7	139.8
High (1930)	202.4	141.6	281.2	205.8
Low (1930)	112.9	86.4	146.5	114.7
High (1929)	252.8	167.8	353.1	253.5
Low (1929)	141.3	117.7	156.3	140.2

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*Range for 1929-1930 High.	Low.	Stocks and Annual Dividends in Dollars.	Sales in 100s.	High for Day.	Low for Day.	Close for Day.	Ch'ge for Day.
57¼	x8½	Abitibi P & P	1	8¼	8¼	8¼	— ½
37½	x14¾	Adams Exp 1.80	31	16⅝	15⅝	16⅛	+ ⅛
34⅞	x28¼	Addressog 1½ A	1	28	28	28	— ½
223⅞	77	Air Reduc 4½ B	28	99½	96½	99¾	+2⅞
70¼	x¼	Ajax Rum	4	¼	¼	¼	.....
10¼	4¼	Alaska Jun .40	12	7⅛	7	7	+ ⅛
x57	x5¾	Alleghany	29	7⅜	7¼	7⅜	.....
x354¾	140	Al Ch & D 6A	23	188	184½	184¾	+2
x75½	x31¼	Allis Ch Mf 3	6	34½	34	34	+ ½
42¼	x11½	Alpha P Cem 2	16	16	15¾	15¾	+ ⅞
18½	x¾	Amal Leather	1	¾	¾	¾	.....
72	x18	Amal Leath pf	8	14½	12	14½	—3½
42⅝	x16½	Amerada 2	26	18	17⅜	18	— ½
2⅛	1½	Am Ag Ch cts	2	1½	1½	1½	.....
23⅝	1¼	Am Agri Chem	1	2	2	2	+ ⅜
157	45½	Am Bk Note 2B	3	55	54	55	+1
62	x10½	Am Bra Sh 2.40	3	21¾	21½	21¾	+ ¼
34⅝	4⅛	Am Brown B El	6	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	+ ⅜
184	86	Am Can 5B	368	112½	110⅞	112½	+2⅜
106½	x25⅝	Am Car & Fdy 6	9	26⅜	25⅛	26	+ ⅜
67⅞	x27	Am Chain 3	2	30⅜	30½	30½	—1½
x22	x15⅞	Am Colortype 2.40	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	
55	x9	Am Coml Al	1	9¼	9¼	9¼	— ¼
91½	x17½	Amer Europ	2	19½	19¼	19½	+1⅝
199¾	x25	Am & For Pow	109	29½	27¼	28	+ ⅞
106	x75⅛	Am & F P 6 pc pf	3	75⅝	75	75	—1
118½	x88½	Am &FP 7 pc pf 7	4	88⅛	88	88⅛	— ⅜
103	x63½	Am &FP 2d 7 pc	1	68	68	68	+1⅞
42	x5½	Am Hawaii SS 10B	2	6⅞	6½	6⅞	+ ⅞
10	x1⅛	Am Hide & Lea	2	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	.....
88⅝	40	Am Home Pr 4.20	4	47⅞	47⅝	47⅞	+ ⅜
53½	x25	Am Ice 3	1	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞	— ⅛
98¾	x16	Am Internat 2	53	19⅜	18	18⅞	+1⅜
72	x9½	Am-La Fr pf	†30	9⅝	9½	9½	— ⅜
126	x19⅝	Am Loco 2	12	21	20⅛	20½	+ ⅜
120	x68½	Am Loco pf 7	2	70	69	70	+1⅞
x98½	x27½	Am Nat Gas pf 7	†10	25	25	25	—2⅜
45	x29⅜	Am Mach&F 1.65B	27	32⅞	32	32⅞	+ ⅜
14½	x3	Am Mach & Met	20	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	+ ⅛
81⅜	x13½	Am Metal 1	150	18	17½	18	+ ⅞
175¾	x36⅛	Am Pow & L 1A	35	41¾	39⅝	40⅜	+ ⅞
x106⅜	x90	AmP&L 6 pct pf 6	1	93	93	93	—2
148	x125	Am Rad St S pf 7	†100	141	141	141	+ ⅜
55⅜	x15⅛	Am Rad St San 1	65	16⅜	15¾	16¼	+ ⅛
64⅝	x5⅛	Am Repub	3	7⅝	7	7⅝	+1⅛
144⅝	x29	Am Roll Mill 2	68	30⅞	30	30⅜	+ ⅜
74⅝	44	Am Safety Raz 5	26	58½	56	58	+1⅝
7	⅜	Am Ship & Com	1	⅝	⅝	⅝	.....
130¼	x39⅛	Am Smelt & R 4	98	41⅝	40	40⅛	+ ⅛
33⅜	x5⅜	Am Sol & C pf	1	6	6	6	— ½
79⅞	x23½	Am Steel Fdrs 3	4	25	25	25	.....
85	x36⅝	Am Stores 2½ B	1	37	37	37	.....
94⅝	x40	Am Sugar Ref 5	12	41	40½	40½	—1⅛
60	x5	Am Sumat Tob	2	8⅛	7⅝	7⅝	.....
310¼	x170⅝	Am Tel & Tel 9	154	179⅜	177⅜	178	+ ⅞
128¼	x98½	Am Tob 5	7	105	104	104½	+2½
x129	x114⅝	Am Tob pf 6	3	124⅜	124¼	124⅜	+1⅛
130⅞	x99¼	Am Tob B 5	86	107⅜	105	106	+2
114⅝	x103	Am Type F pf 7	†40	105½	105½	105½	+ ½
199	x47⅝	Am Wat Wks 3	67	56	52⅜	54⅜	+3⅜
27⅝	x5½	Am Woolen	1	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	+ ⅝
58⅝	15½	Am Wool pfd	2	18⅜	18½	18⅜	+ ⅜
x49¼	x3⅝	Am Z L & S	2	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	.....
140	x25	Anaconda 2½	594	28⅜	26⅜	28	+1⅝
87⅝	20	Anacon W & C 1	10	21½	21⅛	21⅛	+ ⅜
80	25	Anchor Cap 2.40	3	26⅜	26¼	26⅜	+1

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x191¾	101	Coca Cola 6	7	144¾	142½	142½	+ ½
x53	44⅝	Coca Cola A 3	1	50⅜	50⅜	50⅜	.....
64⅝	x44	Colgate-Palm 2½	10	47½	45	46	—1½
72¾	10	Coll & Aik	1	12½	12½	12½	+ ½
30⅝	x8⅝	Col Beacon	7	9⅞	9⅝	9⅞	+ ¼
78½	x18⅞	Col Fuel & Ir 1	2	22½	22	22	+ ⅜
87	x30⅝	Colum G & E 2	63	34⅜	32⅝	33⅝	+ ⅝
x110	x99	Col G&E pf A 6	1	102	102	102	.....
88⅜	x7⅛	Colum Graph .75h	67	8⅜	8	8	+ ⅛
344	x65¾	Colum Carb 6b	20	76	73¾	73¾	+1
63⅝	x15½	Coml Credit 2	9	18½	17¾	18½	+ ½
51⅝	18	Com Cred "A" 3	2	31¾	31¾	31¾	.....
28	20⅞	Com Cr pf B 2	†110	20½	20¾	20½	— ½
79	x21¾	Com Inv Tr 1.60A	2	25½	25	25	— ⅛
63	x14	Coml Solv 1A	41	[illegible]	15⅛	15⅛	+ ⅛
34¾	x7½	Comwlth So .60	180	8⅛	7⅞	8	+ ⅛
104⅞	x86½	Comwlth So pf 6	11	91⅞	90⅞	91⅞	+ ⅝
35⅝	x6¼	Congoleum Na	10	6⅝	6½	6⅝	.....
x96⅝	x24	Consol Cigar 5	2	25⅞	25	25⅞	+ ⅞
96	x56	C Cig 6¾pc pf 6½	†20	58	58	58	.....
21⅝	10	Cons Film 2	9	10½	10¼	10½	+ ⅛
30½	x14½	Cons Film pf 2	10	14⅞	14	14⅞	+ ⅛
183¾	x78½	Consol Gas 4	243	84⅝	82	83⅝	+1⅝
x105¾	92½	Consol Gas pf 5	6	102⅞	102	102	— ⅝
70⅝	x31	Cons R R Cu pf 6	9	32	32	32	— ⅞
6⅝	x¼	Consol Text	6	¼	¼	¼	.....
23½	x5⅛	Container A 1.20	3	7½	7⅛	7½	+ ⅛
90	x15⅞	Cont Baking A	9	19⅝	18⅝	19	— ⅛
15¾	x2⅛	Cont Bak B	6	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	.....
100	x65	Cont Baking pf 8	3	66⅞	65½	66⅞	+ ¼

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19⅝	x8⅝	Int Carrier L ½	4	10	9⅞	10	.....
102¾	48	Int Cement 4	13	50⅜	49⅝	50	+ ½
103½	x1⅛	Int Comb E	3	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	+ ⅛
121	x13	Int Comb E pf	2	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝	+ ⅝
114¾	x45⅞	Int Harvest 2½	31	49⅝	47⅝	48	+ ⅝
50½	x18⅜	Int Hydro EA 2K	18	22⅝	21⅝	22⅝	+1⅛
102	47	Int Match pt pf 4	11	59⅜	56	58⅜	+1⅝
39⅞	x15	Int M M ctfs 2H	37	16	15½	15¾	— ⅛
95⅜	x18	Ind Motor pf	†140	24⅞	20⅝	24⅞	+4⅞
72⅝	x12⅛	Int Nick Can 1	227	15⅛	14⅞	14⅞	+ ⅛
44½	x5½	Int Pap & P A	2	5⅞	5⅝	5⅞	+ ⅛
33⅝	x2	Int Pap & P B	1	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛
26⅞	x2	Int Pap & PC	3	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	+ ⅛
95	x30	Int Pap & P pf 7	5	30⅜	30	30⅜	+ ⅜
68⅝	x12	Int Print Ink	2	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	— ⅜
45⅜	31	Int Salt 3	1	37⅞	37⅞	37⅞	.....
77½	x47⅞	Inter Shoe 3	5	48	47⅝	48	+ ¼
149⅝	x19⅝	Int T & Tel 2	†14,713	20⅝	20⅛	20⅝	+ ⅜
93¼	x14⅝	††Interst Dept St 2	14	16⅝	15⅜	16⅝	+1⅜
72½	x5⅝	Invest Equity	4	5⅞	5⅝	5⅞	+ ⅜
242⅞	x48⅞	††Johns Manville 3	24	55⅜	53⅝	54⅞	+1⅞
x123⅞	x117¼	Johns Manv pf 7	†30	119	118	119	+1⅞
16½	x⅜	Jordan Motor	1	⅜	⅜	⅜	+ ⅛
13⅞	x6⅝	Karstadt Rud 1.03	22	6½	5⅝	5⅝	—1
58½	14½	Kayser J 2½	1	15	15	15	.....
24	x1⅛	Kelly Spring	12	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	.....
100	x26	Kelly Sp 6 pct pf	†10	29⅜	29⅜	29⅜	.....
96	x25	Kendall pf 6	†60	21	20	21	—4
59⅝	x18⅝	Kelsey Hay Wh 2	8	21⅝	21	21	— ⅝

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21½	x1	Punta Al Sug	80	1	1
30⅝	x7½	Pure Oil	33	9⅝	9¼
x116	x90½	Pure Oil pf 8	†50	97	96⅞
148⅝	x36	Purity Bak 4	24	40½	39⅝
114⅝	x11⅞	Radio	151	13⅜	12⅞
87¼	x33⅞	Radio pf B 5	31	35½	35⅛
x50	12	Radio-Keith-O	62	16¼	15⅞
58⅝	x16⅞	Raybestos-M 2.60	7	18⅝	18⅛
147⅝	x73	Reading Co 4	3	76⅞	76⅞
84⅝	x23⅛	Real Silk 3	16	25	24⅞
57⅝	x14⅝	Reming Rand 1.60	10	16⅛	15⅞
x31⅝	x7⅝	Reo Motor .80	10	8⅝	8⅛
79½	x11	Repub Steel	48	12⅛	11⅞
95⅜	x30⅜	Rep St cv pf	7	31	30⅞
34⅝	11	Reynolds Met 2	7	11⅜	11⅛
12¼	x1⅛	Reynolds Sp	3	1¼	1⅛
66⅝	39	Rey Tob B 3	74	41⅝	40⅞
49⅝	x4⅝	Rich Oil Cal	121	6	5
42	x5	Rio Gran Oil	3	6	5⅞
71	x27⅞	Ritter Dent 2½	3	29⅞	28
96	x14⅝	Rossia Ins 2.20	5	17⅞	16⅞
64	x37⅞	Roy D sh 2.2165H	4	38	37½
195¾	x42	Safeway St 5K	4	44⅞	44
94	x19¾	St Jos Lead 2	32	23⅝	22⅞
123⅝	x43	St L San Fr 8	32	45½	44⅞
x100	x62⅞	St L San F pf 6	6	68⅞	68⅞
115⅝	x18	St L South	19	22⅝	22
51⅝	x12⅞	Savage Arms 2	4	15	14⅞
41		Schulte Ret	6	4⅞	4⅞

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ELLING ALS MARK STOCK TRADE

tile-Commerce Re- ds 10 Points—Inter- nal Shoe Is Lower at Close of Market.

UIS STOCK EXCHANGE, — Tax selling played a t part in transactions on market today.

was one lot of 1551 shares Iron common at ⅛ and 00 Scullin Steel preference he same house was buyer r in the Fulton transac-

ri Portland was lower small lot sale. Interna- oe down 1¼ points. hon Shoe was higher. estern Bell preferred was ctionally.

tile-Commerce rebounded and closed 10 points net 185.

was one 400-share lot of Electric at 17⅛, with same yer and seller.

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ng on the St. Louis Stock e ceased for two minutes clock in memory of its late n, Harry S. Rein, and the g resolution was read:

are called together at this the unexpected passing of nd and comrade in business, Rein. His unusual fidelity the long term of devoted at least suggests that we silence for a brief space ect to his memory. There er been a time perhaps in ory of our business activity delity, integrity and trust- ess were more greatly It is particularly fitting should record in this sim- our gratitude for one who fied these virtues."

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ating revenues on the Wa- ailway for November, 1930, ed to $4,385,716, as com- with $5,586,461 for the same last year, it was announced. was $940,347, compared 034,181 in November, 1929. 11-month period ending this year, the total operat- enues amounted to $57,269,- mpared with $71,277,466 for e period last year; and op- income during the 11 this year totaled $10,815,- mpared with $16,069,534 for ilar period last year.

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h Kelly has been appointed r of the Southwestern dis- r the Westinghouse Electric anufacturing Co., with head- rs here. He succeeds Clax- Allen, who was recently pro- by the company. Kelly has engineering manager for the western district for a number rs.

Wall Street ws and Comment

Associated Press.

W YORK, Dec. 24. — Con- on contracts awarded in the tes east of the Rocky Moun- during the period from Dec. 9 totaled $161,020,100, a daily f $9,471,800 per business day, t a daily rate of $11,024,900 ovember, F. W. Dodge Corpo- reports. The daily rate for mber last year was $12,654,- Contracts awarded for the to Dec. 19 totaled $4,436,618,- against $5,672,339,800 for the sponding period last year.

special meeting of stockhold- f the Petroleum Corporation merica will be held Jan. 14 to a proposal to revalue securi- holdings at their approximate et value and reduce to $5 $17 the figure at which stock rried on the balance. The Ex- e Committee has been auth- d to pay a dividend of 25 cents the reduction in capital be- s effective.

roduction of electricity by the ric light and power industry of United States continued its sea- l increase for the week ended 20, the National Electric Light ciation reports. The output, 6,588,000 kilowatt hours, was er cent below the figure for the sponding week last year, but 3.2 per cent above the like d of 1928. With the shorter d of daylight, the third week ecember normally registers the est electric output for any week e year and this year showed, sual, an increase over the week re.

otal investment of United Gas rovement Co. in subsidiaries minority holdings in other panies increased $34,987,877 Dec. 31 last to Sept. 30, ac- ing to the company's applica- to the New York Stock Ex- ge to list 166,760 additional par common sales, approved by governing committee. Invest- t in subsidiary companies in- sed from $219,408,201 to $245,- 725 during the period.

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By the Associated Press

NEW YORK, change today were $11,815,000 a week Jan. 1 to date were year and $2,906,378

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REDISCOUNT RATE CUT IS FOLLOWED BY STOCK RISE

List Bounds Up About 2 to 7 Points but Loses About Half Its Gains in Last Hour Under Profit-Taking Sales—Trade Is Light

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Christmas favors were mostly for the long neglected bulls in a quiet preholiday session of the stock market today.

The list bounded up about 2 to 7 points in response to the reduction in the rediscount rate, but lost about half its gains in the last hour, under profit-taking sales. Trading came close to a standstill late in the day, a straders were more imbued with the festive rather than the speculative spirit. The closing tone was firm. Transfers were about 1,650,000 shares. The floor of the Exchange was decorated with Christmas trees and holly.

Such stocks as U. S. Steel, Bethlehem Steel, American Telephone and International Harvester closed about a point net higher, after making extreme gains of 2 points or so. American Can, Consolidated Gas, Anaconda, Worthington, American Tobacco B, American Water Works, Macy and Western Union closed up 2 to 3 points. Auburn rose 7, then lost half its gain. Of a five-point advance, Case had only 1½ points at the finish. Gillette was a soft spot, down 2 points to a new low.

The reduction of the rediscount rate bolstered foreign exchanges considerably. Sterling cables rushed up 5-32 of a cent to $4.85 13-16. The Canadian dollar advanced about ⅛ of a cent, nearly halving its discount.

Views on Rate Cut.

The favorable interpretation placed on the reduction in the New York Federal Reserve Bank's rediscount rate from 2½ to 2 per cent was in contrast to the rather cynical view which had been taken of some of the numerous reductions which has carried the rate down from the peak of 6 per cent, 14 months ago. During earlier months of the year, however, the bond market was strong, and credit not only cheap but readily available.

The heavy liquidation by banks of bond investments to raise cash has been one of the troublesome developments of recent weeks, and bond dealers hope the lower rate will encourage them to borrow from the reserve rather than dumping their investments.

The mid-week business statistics failed to do much to bolster the more cheerful attitude. The freight loadings figures, as announced for the second week of the month, showed a larger decline than is usual for that period. The weekly petroleum statistics showed a gain of more than 1,300,000 barrels in gasoline stocks on hand, despite repeated assertions by leading oil men that stocks must be kept down if the 1931 season of heavy consumption is to start auspiciously. Crude output, however, was curtailed further.

Anaconda Dividend.

The failure of Eastern trunk line railway executives to announce any tangible developments at the consolidation conference may have been a disappointment to quarters where much optimism has recently been expressed, but Wall street, in the main, has not been inclined to look for any immediate solution of the problem, and is apparently satisfied with reports that the carriers are nearer agreement than they have bene for some years.

Anaconda's declaration of its regular dividend was responsible for the rise in that stock, and helped the more cheerful sentiment which has be n manifest in copper circles in the past few days.

Coca Exchange Members Reinstated

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The board of managers of the New York Cocoa Exchange today reinstated J. H. Redding, R. G. Morris, H. W. King and United Africa Co., Inc., to full membership.

Sept. 18, last, these members were suspended for one year for violation of a rule which required members to report stocks in warehouses. The action of the board restores them to full rights and privileges on the Exchange.

United Africa Co. is the American subsidiary of United Africa, Ltd., of London, one of the world's largest cocoa companies.

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TODAY'S NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

(COMPLETE)

SPECIAL ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.

SHARES SOLD NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Total sales today on the New York Stock Exchange amounted to 1,582,338 shares, compared with 2,543,185 yesterday, 5,005,885 a week ago and holiday a year ago. Total sales from Jan. 1 to date were 799,247,651 shares, compared with 1,105,376,710 last year and 906,172,000 two years ago.

TABLE SYMBOLS Symbols: (a) Plus extras. (b) Including extras. (d) Partly stock. (e) Paid in script. (f) Paid last year. (h) Paid so far this year. (i) Payable in stock. (k) Cash or stock. (l) Payable when earned. Unchanged. ††Ex-dividend. **Ex-rights. †Odd lot. *Exclusive of today. (x) High or low for two years made in 1930.

COMPARATIVE STOCK MARKET AVERAGES.

	50 Industrials.	20 Railroads.	20 Utilities.	90 Total.
Wednesday	118.0	92.4	154.3	120.4
Previous day	116.4	91.9	151.8	118.8
Week ago	118.2	89.2	153.9	120.0
Month ago	133.1	101.1	173.1	135.4
Year ago	161.7	127.8	193.8	161.9
Two years ago	199.3	130.1	188.2	186.1
3 years ago, weekly average	147.2	122.8	126.7	139.8
High (1930)	202.4	141.6	281.3	205.8
Low (1930)	112.9	86.4	146.5	114.7
High (1929)	252.8	167.8	353.1	253.5
Low (1929)	141.3	117.7	156.3	140.2

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*Range for 1929-1930 High.	Low.	Stocks and Annual Dividends in Dollars.	Sales in 100s.	High for Day.	Low for Day.	Close for Day.	Ch'ge for Day.
57⅛	x8½	Abitibi P & P	1	8¼	8¼	8¼	— ¼
37⅜	x14¼	Adams Exp 1.60	31	16⅜	15⅝	16⅛	+ ⅛
34⅞	x28¼	Addressog 1½ A	1	28	28	28	— ½
223⅜	77	Air Reduc 4½ B	28	99½	96½	99¼	+2⅝
70¼	x¼	Ajax Rum	4	¼	¼	¼	....
10¼	4¼	Alaska Jun .40	12	7⅛	7	7—	+ ⅛
x57	x5¾	Alleghany	29	7¾	7¼	7⅜	....
x354¾	140	Al Ch & D 6A	23	188	184½	184¾	+2
x75½	x31¼	Allis Ch Mf 3	6	34½	34	34	+ ½
[illegible]	x11¾	Alpha P Cem 2	16	16	15¾	15¾	+ ⅞

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		Coca Cola 6	7	144¼	142½	142½	+ ½
x191⅜	101	Coca Cola A 3	1	50⅜	50⅜	50⅜	....
x53	44¾	Colgate-Palm 2½	10	47½	45	46	—1½
64⅝	x44	Coll & Aik	1	12½	12⅛	12½	+ ¼
72¼	10	Col Beacon	7	9⅞	9¾	9⅞	+ ⅛
30⅜	x8¾	Col Fuel & Ir 1	2	22¼	22	22	+ ⅞
78⅛	x18¾	Colum G & E 2	63	34⅜	32⅝	33⅝	+ ½
87	x30⅝	Col G&E pf A 6	1	102	102	102	....
x110	x99	Colum Graph .75h	67	8⅝	8	8	+ ¼
88¾	x7⅛	Colum Carb 6b	20	76	73¾	73¾	+1
344	x65⅛	Coml Credit 2	9	18½	17¾	18⅛	+ ½
63⅝	x15½	Com Cred "A" 3	2	31½	31½	31½	....
51⅝	18	Com Cr pf B 2	†110	20½	20½	20½	— ⅛
28	20¾	Com Inv Tr 1.60A	2	25⅛	25	25	— ½
79	x21¾	Coml Solv 1A	41	1	15⅛	15¼	+ ¼
63	x14	Comwlth So .60	180	8⅛	7⅞	8	+ ⅛
34¾	x7½	Comwlth So pf 6	11	91⅞	90⅜	91⅞	+ ⅝
104¾	x86½	Congoleum Na	10	6⅝	6⅛	6⅝	— ¼
35¾	x6¼	Consol Cigar 5	2	25⅞	25	25⅞	+ ⅞
x96¾	x24	C Cig 6½pc pf6½	†20	58	58	58	....
96	x56	Cons Film 2	9	10½	10¼	10½	+ ⅛
21⅜	10	Cons Film pf 2	10	14¾	14	14¾	+ ⅛
30¾	x14½	Consol Gas 4	243	84⅝	82	83⅜	+1⅜
183¼	x78¼	Consol Gas pf 5	6	102⅞	102	102	— ¼
x105¼	92½	Cons R R Cu pf 6	9	32	32	32	— ¾
70⅝	x31	Consol Text	6	¼	¼	¼	....
6⅜	x¼	Container A 1.20	3	7¼	7⅛	7¼	+ ⅛
23½	x5⅛	Cont Baking A	9	19⅝	18¾	19	— ¼
90	x15⅞	Cont Bak B	6	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	....
15¼	x2⅛	Cont Baking pf 8	3	66¼	65⅛	66¼	+ ¼
100	x65	Contl Can 2½	39	48⅛	47	48⅛	+1⅝
[illegible]	x40¼	[illegible]	[illegible]	11	11	11	+ ½

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19¾	x8⅝	Int Carrier I. ½	4	10	9⅞	10	+ ½
102¾	48	Int Cement 4	13	50½	49⅝	50	+ ⅛
103½	x1¼	Int Comb E	3	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	+ ⅛
121	x13	Int Comb E pf	2	21¾	21⅛	21¾	+ ⅞
114½	x45⅛	Int Harvest 2½	31	49⅜	47¾	48	+1½
59½	x18⅝	Int Hydro EA 2K	18	22½	21¼	22¼	+1½
102	47	Int Match pt pf 4	11	59⅜	56	58½	— ⅛
39¼	x15	Int M M ctfs 2H	37	16	15¼	15⅞	+4⅜
95¼	x18	Ind Motor pf	†140	24⅞	20⅜	24⅞	+ ¼
72¾	x12¾	Int Nick Can 1	227	15¼	14⅞	14⅞	+ ¼
44½	x5¼	Int Pap & P A	2	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	— ⅛
33⅞	x2	Int Pap & P B	1	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞	— ⅛
26⅞	x2	Int Pap & PC	3	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	+ ¼
95	x30	Int Pap & P pf 7	5	30¼	30	30¼	— ⅛
68⅜	x12	Int Print Ink	2	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	....
45¾	31	Int Salt 3	1	37⅞	37⅞	37⅞	....
77½	x47¾	Inter Shoe 3	5	48	47⅛	48	+ ¼
149⅛	x19⅝	Int T & Tel 2	†14,713	20¾	20⅛	20¾	+ ⅜
93⅛	x14⅝	††Interst Dept St 2	14	16¾	15¼	16¾	+1¼
72½	x5⅛	Invest Equity	4	5⅞	5⅝	5⅞	+ ⅜
242¾	x48¾	††Johns Manville 3	24	55⅜	53¾	54⅛	+1⅝
x123⅜	x117¼	Johns Manv pf 7	†30	119	118	119	+1⅜
16½	x¼	Jordan Motor	1	⅝	⅝	⅝	+ ⅛
13⅞	x6⅝	Karstadt Rud 1.03	23	6½	5⅝	5⅝	—1
58⅛	14½	Kayser J 2½	1	15	15	15	....
24	x1¼	Kelly Spring	12	1⅛	1¼	1½	....
100	x26	Kelly Sp 6 pct pf	†10	29½	29½	29½	—4
96	x25	Kendall pf 6	†60	21	20	21	— ½
59¾	x18⅝	Kelsey Hay Wh 2	8	21⅜	21	21	— ½
x26⅝	5	Kelvinator	12	8⅞	8¾	8¾	+ ⅛
104⅞	x20¼	Kennecott 2	†28850	23½	22¼	23¼	+1
x59	25¼	Kimberly Cl 2½	2	38½	38	38½	+ ½

*Range for 1929-1930 High.	Low.	Stocks and Annual Dividends in Dollars.	Sales in 100s.	High for Day.	Low for Day.	Close for Day.
21½	x1	Punta Al Sug	80	1	1	1
30⅜	x7⅜	Pure Oil	33	9¼	8¾	8¾
x116	x90½	Pure Oil pf 8	†50	97	96⅞	97
148⅝	x36	Purity Bak 4	24	40½	39½	39⅜
114¾	x11¾	Radio	151	13¾	12¾	13
87½	x33¾	Radio pf B 5	31	35½	34½	35½
x50	12	Radio-Keith-O	62	16½	15⅞	16
58½	x16⅞	Raybestos-M 2.60	7	18½	18½	18½
147⅜	x73	Reading Co 4	3	76⅜	76⅜	76⅜
84⅜	x23⅛	Real Silk 3	16	25	24½	24½
57⅜	x14⅛	Reming Rand 1.60	10	16¼	15¾	16¼
x31⅞	x7⅜	Reo Motor .80	10	8¾	8⅛	8¾
79¼	x11	Repub Steel	48	12¼	11½	11⅝
95½	x30¼	Rep St cv pf	7	31	30½	31
34¾	11	Reynolds Met 2	7	11⅜	11⅛	11⅛
12¼	x1⅛	Reynolds Sp	3	1½	1¼	1¼
66⅜	39	Rey Tob B 3	74	41⅝	40½	40⅞
49⅝	x4⅛	Rich Oil Cal	121	6	5	5⅜
42	x5	Rio Gran Oil	3	6	5⅞	5⅞
71	x27⅜	Ritter Dent 2½	3	29¾	28	28
96	x14¾	Rossia Ins 2.20	5	17⅛	16½	17⅛
64	x37⅛	Roy D sh 3.2165H.	4	38	37½	38
195¼	x42	Safeway St 5K	4	44¾	44	44
94	x19¼	St Jos Lead 2	32	23¼	22⅛	23⅛
133¾	x43	St L San Fr 8	32	45½	44¾	45⅛
x100	x62½	St L San F pf 6	6	68¼	68¼	68¼
115⅜	x18	St L South	19	22⅝	22	22
51⅞	x12¼	Savage Arms 2	4	15½	14½	14¾
41	3½	Schulte Ret	6	4⅛	4	4⅛
21¾	x⅛	Seaboard Air	50	⅝	½	½
41	x1	Seab Air pfd	30	1⅛	⅝	⅝
181	x45	Sears Roe 2½A	77	48½	46¼	46¼
x23	x2½	Second Nat Inv	2	3½	3½	3½
x85	x35	Second Nat pf 5	3	40	39½	40
10½	x1	Seneca Cop	4	1¼	1⅛	1⅛
21⅜	x3⅛	Servel Inc	40	4½	3¾	4½
53¾	x9	Sharon St H	5	9¾	9⅝	9¾
21⅞	x6¼	Sharp & Dohme	1	12½	12½	12½
71	x20⅛	Shattuck F G 1	11	22½	21⅝	22
31¾	x6¼	Shell Union	51	6¾	6¼	6½
106¼	x62	Shell Un pf 5½	1	62	62	62
71½	x4⅛	Shubert Thea	1	4½	4½	4½
188	x11	Simmons	48	15¾	15	15¼
40⅛	x5⅝	Simms Pet	1	6¾	6¾	6¾
45	x9¾	Sinclair Con 1	55	10⅜	10⅛	10¼
46½	x10⅛	Skelly Oil 2	2	10¾	10¾	10¾
125	x13	Sloss S S & I	2	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞
112	x29½	Sloss S S pf 7	†200	30	30	30
93¼	x40⅛	Sou Cal Ed 2	13	44¼	42⅞	43⅞
15⅜	x2½	South Dairies B	1	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
157½	x88	Southern Pac 6	24	92½	92	92
45	x10⅛	Sou P R Sugar1.40	22	12	10⅝	11½
163⅛	x47½	Southern Ry 8	16	52⅜	51½	52
140⅞	x60	SouRy M&O ctf 4	2	70½	70	70½
73	x8	Sparks With 1	9	9⅛	9	9⅛
x85	x62	Spear pf 7	†60	62	62	62
66¾	x7⅝	Spicer Mfg	2	9¼	9	9¼
44¾	x14⅛	Stand Brands 1.20	180	16¾	16⅛	16⅝
243¾	x53⅛	St G & El 3½	27	59½	56⅛	57½
100	x53⅛	Stand G&E pf 4	2	57	56¾	57
104	x93	St G&E 6 pc pf 6	1	94	94	94
114½	x100	St G&E 7 pc pf 7	1	102¼	102¼	102¼
48	x1½	St Invest	5	1⅞	1⅝	1⅝
106¾	98	St Oil Ex pf 5	3	101½	101½	101½
81⅞	x42¼	St Oil Cal 2½A	33	45½	44¼	44⅝
84⅞	x43½	St Oil N J 2B	116	47⅜	46¼	46⅝
48¼	x19¾	St Oil N Y 1.60	82	21½	21⅛	21⅛
47⅞	x19	Starrett (L S) 2	4	19¾	19⅝	19⅝
38	x2½	Sterl Sec A	13	3½	2⅞	2⅞
8	5	Sterl S new pf 1.20	5	7¼	6½	7¼
55½	x30⅛	Sterl S cv pf 3	5	33	32½	32½
77	x14¾	Stewart Warn 2	8	17½	16¾	16⅜
209⅛	x37½	Stone & Web 4	24	42⅜	41	42
98	x18⅛	Studebaker 3	48	21⅞	21¼	21⅜
4½	x⅛	Submar Boat	7	⅛	⅛	⅛
45¼	x30	Superheater 1½	4	30⅜	30⅛	30⅛
24	1	Superior Oil	19	1	1	1
71⅛	x28¼	Texas Corp 3	79	30⅞	30¼	30½
85¼	x40¼	Tex Gulf Sul 4	36	45⅞	44¾	4⅛
25⅜	x4	Tex Pac C & O	27	4¼	4	11⅝
44½	6¼	Tex Pac L Tr	95	12⅜	11	13
x36⅜	x12¾	Thatcher 1.60	6	13	13	35⅞
49⅞	25	Thatch cv pf 3.60	1	35⅞	35⅞	21¼
55⅞	x21¼	The Fair 2.40	3	21¼	21¼	4¾
26⅞	x3¾	Thermoid	6	5	4¾	4⅞

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18⅞	x3½	Thompson Star	1	3¾	3¾	3¾
49⅝	x23⅝	Thomp St pf 3½	3	25¾	25	25¾
23⅛	x6	Tide Wat As .60	10	6½	6¼	6¼
90⅞	x55	Tide Wat As pf 6	1	56⅛	56⅛	56⅛
34⅜	x8	Timk Det Ax .80	8	8⅝	8½	8⅝
150	x40⅛	Timk Roll B 3	13	43⅞	42⅞	43⅞
22⅛	1	Tob Prod	5	2½	2½	2½
22⅝	5¼	Tob Prod A .95B	3	10¼	10⅛	10⅛
25¾	x10⅜	Transamerica 1	60	13¼	12½	12¾
20¼	x5⅝	Tri Cont Corp	8	6¾	6½	6⅝
96	57	Tri Cont pfd 6	28	93½	92¾	93½
63	28	Trico Prod 2½	2	29¼	28¼	29¼
31⅛	x9½	Traux Traer 1.60	1	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
181¾	x49	Underwood Ell 5	11	53	51¾	52¼
140	x40⅛	Union Carbide 2.60	219	58⅜	56⅝	57½
57	x20⅜	Union Oil Cal 2A	10	22½	21⅞	22⅜
297⅝	x166½	Union Pac 10	13	180½	174	179
x88⅜	80	Un Pac pf 4	2	85½	85	85¼
38½	22	Un Tank Car 1.60	2	23¾	23¼	23¼
162	x18⅜	Unit Aircraft	212	23¼	21½	22
109½	x41⅜	Unit Aircr pfd 3	27	45½	43¼	45½
17	17	Un Am Bosch new	15	17	17	17
64	33⅛	Unit Bisc 2	2	33	33	33
x118⅜	x14⅜	Unit Carbon 1	11	20⅝	19¾	20
27½	x3¼	Unit Cigar	5	4¼	4⅛	4⅛
114	x19⅛	Unit Cigar pf	1	64¼	64¼	64¼
75½	x13⅞	Unit Corp ½	303	16⅞	15½	16
x53⅛	x43½	Unit Corp pf 3	10	46	45	45½
81¼	x2¼	Un Elec Coal	2	2⅞	2¾	2⅞
158½	x46½	Unit Fruit 4	35	51	50	51
59⅝	22	Unit G & Im 1.20	61	26¾	26¼	26⅝
x106¼	90¼	Un G&Im pri pf 5	1	101½	101½	101½
52	x7⅛	U S & For Sec	8	8⅜	7⅝	8
101	x73	U S & For S pf 6	1	77	77	77
134¼	x16½	U S Freight 3	1	19¾	19¾	19¾
49⅞	x5	U S Hoff Mach	6	5½	5½	5½
243⅝	x30½	U S Ind Al 6	18	58¾	55	56⅜
61⅞	x5¼	U S Leath A	13	6⅛	6	6
107	x64¼	U S Lea pr pf 7	1	73	73	73
55⅞	x23½	U S Pipe 2	6	27⅜	27	27¼
109¾	x25	U S Real & Im 3	10	26⅜	25½	26⅜
65	x11	U S Rubber	61	13⅜	12½	13
95½	x19½	U S Rub 1st pf	8	23½	23	23½
77⅞	x17	U S Smelt & R 1	6	20½	19½	19½
57	x40	U S Smelt pf 3½	1	40⅛	40⅛	40⅛
261¾	x134⅜	U S Steel 7	342	140⅝	139	139½
x151¾	137	U S Steel pf 7	20	142¼	141½	142
71¾	55⅛	U S Tobacco 4	1	59⅛	59⅛	59⅛
22¼	x2	Univ Pipe & R	1	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
58⅛	x19¼	Ut P & Lt A 2.15B	14	21¼	21	21
		Vadsco	1	¾	¾	¾
12½	x½	Vanadium 3	864	56⅛	53½	54
x143½	x37½	Van Raalte	†190	10	10	10
42	x6⅝	Van Ra 1st pf	†25	22⅝	22⅝	22
73	x22⅛	Va El&P 6 pct pf 6	†10	100	100	100
107½	95½	Virg Car Ch	2	2	2	2
24¾	x1⅝	V C C 6pc pt pf	1	9⅝	9⅝	9
65½	x9	Vulcan Detin 4	†70	42½	42	42
104⅞	x39	Wabash pf A 5	4	42½	42½	42
36½	x20	Waldorf Sys 1½	2	23¼	23⅛	
49⅞	x10⅝	Walworth 2	3	12½	12⅜	
84¾	x8	Ward Bak A	†20	15⅜	15	
21⅛	x1¼	Ward Bak B	7	3¾	3⅝	
87¼	x45½	Ward Bak pf 7	1	45½	45½	
80¾	x9¾	Warner Pict	249	14¼	13½	
42⅞	x5	Warner Quin	51	5	4½	
64½	x26⅜	Warren Bros 3	12	28	27½	
48	20	Wesson O & S 2	3	21	20⅛	
72½	x49½	West Oil & S pf 4	2	55	55	
40	4	West Dairy B	4	5¼	5	
50	10	Western Maryland	7	13½	12⅝	
61⅜	x23½	West Pac pf	1	24⅛	24⅛	
x117	97	W Pen E 7 pc pf 7	†10	97	97	
x107	88½	W Pen E 6 pc pf 6	†20	92	92	
212¼	x123	West Un Tel 8	6	127½	125½	
61¾	x26	††Westingh A 3	19	32½	32⅛	
292⅝	x89¼	W El & Mfg 5	260	94⅝	91¾	
284	103	West E&M 1 pf 5	†300	111⅛	109	
97⅛	x18	Westvaco Shl 2	1	20	20	
75	x1	Westark Radio	17	1⅛	1	
52¼	x21⅛	White Motor 2	7	23	22⅝	
54⅝	x21⅛	White Rk M Sp 4	1	36	36	
48	1	White Sew M	3	2½	2⅛	
57⅞	x4¾	White Sew M pf	4	5	5	
29⅜	x6½	Wilcox O & G	3	7	6⅜	
61¼	x19	Wilcox Rich A 2½	3	19½	19½	
35	x3¾	Willys Over	30	5	4⅝	
103	x45½	Willys Over pf 7	1	49	49	
27	x4⅝	Wilson A	1	6	6	

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AX SELLING DEALS MARK STOCK TRADE

ercantile-Commerce Re-bounds 10 Points—International Shoe Is Lower at the Close of Market.

T. LOUIS STOCK EXCHANGE, c. 24. — Tax selling played a ominent part in transactions on local market today.

here was one lot of 1551 shares Fulton Iron common at ⅛ and of 2000 Scullin Steel preference 7. The same house was buyer seller in the Fulton transaction.

issouri Portland was lower ly on small lot sale. Internaal Shoe down 1¼ points. arathon Shoe was higher. outhwestern Bell preferred was wn fractionally.

ercantile-Commerce rebounded points and closed 10 points net her at 185.

here was one 400-share lot of gner Electric at 17⅛, with same se buyer and seller.

Local Business and Financial Items

(Paragraphs for publication in s column should be addressed to Financial Editor.)

Trading on the St. Louis Stock hange ceased for two minutes l o'clock in memory of its late irman, Harry S. Rein, and the owing resolution was read:

"We are called together at this e by the unexpected passing of friend and comrade in business, rry Rein. His unusual fidelity ing the long term of devoted vice at least suggests that we d in silence for a brief space respect to his memory. There never been a time perhaps in history of our business activity en fidelity, integrity and trustrthiness were more greatly eded. It is particularly fitting t we should record in this simway our gratitude for one who mplified these virtues."

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Operating revenues on the Wah Railway for November, 1930, ounted to $4,385,716, as comed with $5,586,461 for the same nth last year, it was announced. come was $940,347, compared h $1,034,181 in November, 1929. the 11-month period ending v. 30 this year, the total operat revenues amounted to $57,269,-, compared with $71,277,466 for same period last year; and opting income during the 11 nths this year totaled $10,815,-, compared with $16,069,534 for similar period last year.

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Ralph Kelly has been appointed nager of the Southwestern dist for the Westinghouse Electric Manufacturing Co., with headrters here. He succeeds Clax E. Allen, who was recently proted by the company. Kelly has n engineering manager for the thwestern district for a number years.

Wall Street News and Comment

the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24. — Conction contracts awarded in the states east of the Rocky Mouns during the period from Dec. 19 totaled $161,020,100, a daily of $9,471,800 per business day, inst a daily rate of $11,024,900 November, F. W. Dodge Corpotion reports. The daily rate for ember last year was $12,654,-. Contracts awarded for the r to Dec. 19 totaled $4,436,618,-, against $5,672,339,800 for the responding period last year.

A special meeting of stockhold of the Petroleum Corporation America will be held Jan. 14 to on a proposal to revalue securi holdings at their approximate rket value and reduce to $5 m $17 the figure at which stock carried on the balance. The Extive Committee has been authed to pay a dividend of 25 cents en the reduction in capital bees effective.

Production of electricity by the tric light and power industry of United States continued its seaal increase for the week ended c. 20, the National Electric Light ociation reports. The output, 736,588,000 kilowatt hours, was per cent below the figure for the responding week last year, but 3.2 per cent above the like riod of 1928. With the shorter riod of daylight, the third week December normally registers the gest electric output for any week the year and this year showed, usual, an increase over the week fore.

Total investment of United Gas provement Co. in subsidiaries d minority holdings in other panies increased $34,987,877 m Dec. 31 last to Sept. 30, acrding to the company's applica to the New York Stock Exange to list 166,760 additional -par common sales, approved by governing committee. Investnt in subsidiary companies inased from $219,408,201 to $245,-,725 during the period.

NEW YORK BOND MARKET

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Bond sales on the New York Stock Exchange today were $8,939,000, compared to $11,574,000 yesterday, $11,815,000 a week ago and holiday a year ago. Total bond sales from Jan. 1 to date were $2,728,587,000 compared with $3,076,376,000 last year and $2,906,378,000 two years ago.

Quotations on all Liberty bonds are in dollars and thirty-seconds of a dollar. That is, for instance, a sale printed 99—24 means $99 and 24 thirty-seconds of a dollar, and not $99.24.

Following is a complete list of bonds traded in on the New York Stock Exchange today, giving sales, highest, lowest and closing prices. In sales, 000 omitted:

BOND MARKET AVERAGES.

	10 Ind'ls.	10 Rails.	10 Util.	30 Total.
Wednesday	86.2	101.0	97.3	94.8
Prev. day	86.1	100.6	97.2	94.6
Week ago	83.3	97.9	96.6	92.6
Month ago	89.9	104.0	99.8	97.9
Year ago	91.9	104.8	98.4	98.4
2 years ago	94.8	104.6	99.3	99.5
3 years ago weekly av.	96.6	109.3	100.4	102.1
High (1930)	94.9	109.8	101.4	101.9
Low (1930)	83.3	97.3	96.6	92.6
High (1929)	95.3	106.0	99.8	99.9
Low (1929)	90.4	100.8	96.0	96.3

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SECURITY.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
CORPORATION BONDS.				
Alb & S 3½ 46	1	87⅝	87⅝	87⅝
Allegh Corp 5 44	113	76	73	76
Allegh Corp 5 49	204	73½	70½	73
Allegh Corp 5 50	110	72	70	72
Allis Chal 5 37	6	101⅝	101¼	101¼
A A C 7½ 41	4	103	102⅝	102¾
A & F P 5 2030	27	77½	77	77½
Am Chain sf 6 33	4	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
Am Cyan 5 42	1	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝
A I G C 5½ 49	64	98	97	98
Am Met 5½ 34	2	90	90	90
Am Nat G 6½ 42	7	33½	33	33
Am Smelt 5 47	6	102½	102¼	102¼
Am Sug Ref 6 37	4	104	103½	104
AT&T 5½ 43	20	108	107⅝	107¾
AT&T col 5 46	8	104¾	104⅝	104⅝
AT&T sf 5 60	29	105	104½	105
AT&T 5 65	67	104¾	104	104⅝
AT&T cv 4½ 39	18	123	121¼	121½
Am Typ F 6 40	2	104	104	104
AWW&El 6 75	10	101¼	100	101¼
Am W Pap 6 47	2	52¼	52¼	52¼
Ang Ch N 7 45	5	68	67	68
Ar&Col Dl 5½ 43	15	73	72½	72½
Ar&Co re 4½ 39	10	87	86¾	87
AT&SF cv 4½ 48	15	113	112¼	112¼
AT&SF gen 4 95	118	97½	97	97
AT&SF ad 4 st 95	7	93¼	93	93
AT&SF cv 4 05-55	10	93½	92½	92½
AT&SF cv 4 09-55	5	93	93	93
At & C AL 5 44	31	100¼	100¼	100¼
ACL-L & N col tr 4s 52	14	87½	87½	87½
A C L 4½ 64	1	94¾	94¾	94¾
Atl Ref deb 5 37	9	102	100½	100½
Bald Loco 5 40	1	107¼	107¼	107¼
B & O rfg 6 95	7	107	106¾	107
B & O 1st 5 48	11	105½	105	105¼
B & O rfg 5 95	33	101¼	101	101⅝
B & O 5 2000 D	13	101⅝	100¼	101
B & O cv 4½ 33	46	100	99⅝	99¾
B & O cv 4½ 60	168	93	92¼	92½
B & O gold 4 48	10	95¾	95⅝	95⅝
B & O 4 P L E & W Va 41	2	95	95	95
Balt & Oh 5 S W div 50	3	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
B & O 4 T & C div 59	4	80½	80	80
Bangor & Ar 4 51	15	87	87	87
Bell Tel Pa 1st & rfg 5 B 48	1	106½	106½	106½
Beech Crk 4	1	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
Beth S p m 5 36	3	102	102	102
Bost & Me 5 67	24	98	97½	98
do 5 55	35	98½	97¾	97¾
Brk Ed gen5 49A	7	106	106	106
Brk M Tr 6 68	42	98¼	97¼	[illegible]
Brk U Gas 5 50	7	103	103	103
BR& P con4½ 57	9	89	87	89
Bur C R & No col 5 34	13	100	99½	100
Bush T con 5 55	10	99	98½	99
Cal G & E 5 37	1	102¼	102¼	102¼
Cal Pack 5 40	6	95½	95½	95½
Cal Pet 5½ 38	5	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
do 5 39	2	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
Camaguey S 7 42	1	40	40	40
Can N R 4½ 54	2	98¼	98⅛	98¼
do 4½ 57	7	98	97⅝	98
do 4½ 68	9	98	97⅝	98
do 4¾ 55	7	101¼	101	101
do 5 69 July	9	103⅜	103⅜	103⅜
Can NR 5 69 Oct	13	104	103¾	103¾
do s f 7s 40	1	110¾	110¾	110¾
Can Pac 5 44	5	102	102	102
do 5s 54	8	101¾	101⅝	101¾
do 4½s 60	37	98¾	98½	98½
do db 4 perp	19	88⅛	87¾	88⅛
Can So 5s 62	3	104½	104½	104½
Cent P 5s 60	18	102	101⅝	101⅝
Cent Pac 1st gtd 4s 49	20	94¼	94¼	94¼
Cer-teed 5½ 48	5	27½	27	27⅛
Ches Cp 5 47	4	96⅝	96½	96½
C&O con 5 39	1	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
do rfg 4½ 93A	2	99¾	99¼	99¾
do rfg 4½95B	61	99¼	98½	99¼
C & O 1st 4s 89 R & A div	2	93¾	93¾	93¾
do Big Sandy 4	2	96	96	96
CB&Q 4½s 77	15	100¼	100¼	100¼
do 4 Ill div 49	24	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
C & E 1 5s 82	10	103½	101¾	103½
Chic Gt Wet 4 59	4	63⅝	63⅝	63⅝
C M & St P 4⅝s 89 F	10	95	95	95
do gen 4 89 A	1	81½	81½	81½
C M St P & P 5s 75	5	69	67¼	69
C M St P & P do adj 5s 2000	134	27⅝	26¾	27½
C & N W 6½s 36	5	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛
do cv 4¾s 49	42	87	86⅜	87
do 4½s 2037	1	91⅝	91⅝	91⅝
do gen 4s 87	10	85	85	85
do gen 3½ 87	13	75	75	75
C R I & P 4½ 52	23	89¾	88	89¾
do cvt 4½s 60	20	87⅛	87	87½
do gen 4s 88	16	92½	92¼	92¼
do rfg 4s 34	74	98	97½	97⅞
C T H & S E 5 60	1	80	80	80
C U Sta 6½ 63C	1	114	114	114
do 4½s 63 A	25	101¼	101½	101½
C & W Ind 5½ 62	3	102½	102½	102½
Childs Co 5s 43	5	79	79	79
Chile Cop 5s 47	6	88½	88	88½
Cinn G & El 4s 68	3	91⅞	91⅞	91⅞
Cin U T 4½ 2020	10	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
CCC&StL rfg 4½ 77 E	56	99	99	99
CCC&SL4 91CWM div	1	92	92	92
Cl U Ter 5½ 72	1	106¾	106¾	106¾
Cl N T 4½ 77C	10	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
Colon Oil 6s 38	20	50	50	50
Colo&S 1 4½ 35	12	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
ColG&E 5 52May	15	100⅝	100¼	100⅝
ColRyP&L 4½ 57	7	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞
Com In T 6s 48	10	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
Com In T 5½ 49	4	92½	92	92
Co Co ofMd 5 50	19	25¼	24	25⅛
Con G NY 5½ 45	21	106½	106⅜	106⅝
Con G Ch 5 36	5	103	103	103
Consum Po 5s 52	1	104¾	104¾	104¾
Container 5s 43	2	62	62	62
Cr C&Seal 6 47	1	97¾	97¾	97¾
Cr Will 6s 51	1	96⅞	96⅞	96⅞
Cuba C Pr 6s 50	4	7⅝	7½	7⅝
Cu No Ry 5½ 42	20	40	40	40
Cuba RR 7½ 36 ww	2	69⅞	69	69⅞
do 5s 52	8	55½	55½	55½
Cub AS co 8 31	3	93½	93½	93½
Cumb T&T 5s 37	6	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
D&H rfg 4s 43	55	94⅝	94	94
D&RG 4½s 36	2	96	96	96
do con 4s 36	2	94	94	94
D&RGW gn 5s 55	18	73¼	73	73
D G Dery 2d 7s 42	1	3	3	3
DM&FD 4s 35 ctf	1	15	15	15
Det Ed 1&r 6 40 B	2	105¾	105¾	105¾
Det Ed col 5s 33	2	102	102	102
do rfg 5s 40	1	104	104	104
do 5s 49 A	16	105½	105⅛	105⅛
do 5s 62 C 5	5	105½	105½	105½
Dodge deb 6s 40	21	83½	83	83
Dold Pkg 6s 42	9	59	58¼	58¼
Dul & I R 5s 37	1	100	100	100
Duq Lt 4½ 67 A	13	103	103	103
E Cuba S 7½s 37	5	37	37	37
ETV&G con 5s 56	5	106	106	106
El P &SW 5s 65	1	101½	101½	101½
Erie r&i 5s 67	36	78½	78	78½
do r&i 5s 75	29	78	77	78
do gen ln 4s 96	2	71¼	71	71
do cv 4s 53 B	2	71¼	71¼	71¼
Er Gen RR sf 6 57	1	107	107	107
Fed Met cv 7s 39	1	93	93	93
Fla E Cst 5s 74	49	21	20	20¼
G H & S A M & P 1st 5s 31	2	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
do 2d 5s 31	5	100½	100½	100½
Gen Am In 5s 52	8	83	82	83
Gen Bak 5½s 40	34	97½	96½	97½
Gen Cable 5½ 47	3	93½	93½	93½
Gen Mo Ac 6s 37	16	102½	101½	102⅛
Gen P S 5½s 39	3	93½	93½	93½
Gen Stl C 5½s 49	1	92	92	92
Gen Th Eq 6s 40	18	56½	55¼	56½
Goodrich 6½s 47	10	101¼	101	101
do 6s 45	17	68	67¾	67¾
Goodyear 5s 57	4	87	87	87
Gr Tk R Cn 7 40	1	110	110	110
do 6s 36	40	105	104¾	105
Gr N Ry 7s 36 A	8	109⅝	109⅝	109⅝
do 5½s 52 B	3	107¼	107¼	107¼
do gen 5s 73	5	102⅝	102½	102½
do gn 4½ 76 D	14	98	96⅝	96⅝
do 4½s 77 E	16	96½	96¼	96¼
Harlem Riv& Ps '54	5	89	88½	88½
Hav Elec 5½ 51	2	27	27	27
Hoe R H & Co 6½s '34	1	68	68	68
Hock Val 1st con 4½s '99	1	99	99	99
Hudson Coal 5s '62 A	3	53¼	52½	52½
Hud & Man rfg 5s '57 'A'	11	97⅝	97¼	97⅝
Hud & Man adj inc 5s '57	2	74	74	74
Hum Oil & Ref 5½s '32	14	103	102	103
Hum O&R 5 37	3	100¾	100¾	100¾
IllBellTel 5s 56	31	104¾	104⅝	104¾
Ill Cent 5s 55	8	100¼	100¼	100¼
Ill Cent 4¾s 66	6	96½	95½	95½
IC&C SL&NO rfg 5s 63 A	8	98	97¼	98
IC&C SL&NO 4½s '63 C	5	93	93	93
Ill Steel deb 4½s '40	20	101	100¼	101
Ind Limest 6 41	25	50¼	50¼	50¼
Inland St 4½ 78A	6	95¼	95	95
InterbRTr 7s 32	6	88	87	87
Interb R Tr rfg 5s '66	8	66	66	66
Interb R Tr rfg 5s '66 sta	7	66	66	66
Int Agric 5s '42 stp	5	76	76	76
Int Cement 5 48	19	96	95⅝	95¾
Int Gt Nor adj 6s '52	10	44¼	44	44
IntGtN 1st 6 52	3	77	75	75
Int Gt N 5 56C	3	60	60	60
Int Hydro El 6 44	13	85½	85	85
Int Match 5 47	24	96⅛	95⅝	95⅝
Int MerM sf 6 41	3	92½	92	92
Int Pa rf 6 55 A	2	62¼	62¼	62¼
Int Pap cv 5 47A	11	73¼	73	73¼
Int Rl C A 5 72	2	70¾	70½	70½
In T&T cv 4½ 39	90	80	78⅛	79
In T&T de 4½ 52	22	70	68½	69⅞
do deb 5s 55	31	76	75½	76
Iowa Ce rf 4 51	5	3½	3⅛	3⅛
K C FtS&M 4s 36	4	95½	95½	95½
K C South rf 5 50	10	98	98	98
K C Sou 1 3 50	3	77⅛	77⅛	77⅛
Kan G&El 4½ 80	1	93½	93½	93½
Keith B F 6 46	3	75	75	75
Kentucky Ce 4 87	1	88½	88½	88½
K C EL&P pm 6 97	10	134	134	134
KingC El 4 49 stp	3	80	80	80
KingCoLt 6½s 54	5	117	117	117
Kresge Fou 6s 36	23	102¼	102	102
Lack Stl 5s 50	5	101	100⅝	101
L G StL 5½s 53	9	100½	100½	100½
do 5½s 60 D	1	101	101	101
do 1st 5s 34	19	102¼	101⅞	102⅛
LS&MS gld 4 31	19	100⅝	100¼	100⅝
Lauta Nitr 6s 54	20	51	51	51
Lehigh Val C 5 33	1	99¾	99¾	99¾
Lex & E Ry 5 65	5	108⅜	108⅜	108⅜
Lig & My 7 44	5	122	122	122
Loew's Inc 6 41xw	36	97	96½	96½
Loril Co 5½ 37	27	86½	86	86½
Ig Isl uni 4 49	1	92	92	92
Loril Co 5 51	1	81½	81½	81½
Lorillard Co 5 51	1	81½	81½	81½
Louis & Ark 5 69	14	60	59½	59½
Lou G&El 5 52	1	103	103	103
L & N rfg5 ½2003	3	105¼	105	105
L&N 1st rfg 4½ 2003	15	98	98	98
Manati Sug 7½42	3	27	27	27
Mar St Shov 6 47	5	47	47	47
McKesson & Rob 5½s 50	9	79	79	79
Mead C 6 ww	4	90	89	90
Met Ed 4½ 68	9	100	99¾	100
Midvale S cv 5 36	5	101	100½	101
Mil El Ry & Lt 1st 5 61 B	4	101	101	101
M&StL 1 rfg 4 49	5	4½	4½	4½
MSP&SSM 6½ 31	11	100⅝	100	100
MKT pr ln5 62A	4	101½	101⅛	101½
do 1st 4 90	9	89	89	89
Mo Pac c5½ 49A	3	92½	92½	92½
do rfg 5 65 A	5	96	96	96
do 5s 77 F	17	96	95	95⅝
do gen 4 75	17	70	69½	70
do 5 80 H	13	95	95	95
Mob & O 5 38	32	90	89¼	90
MontPrfg 5s 43 A	1	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞
do 5s 62 D	2	99⅛	99	99
Mor&Co 1 4½s39	8	79½	79½	79½
N Dairy 5½s 48	32	98½	98	98½
Nat Rad 6½s 47	6	15	15	15
N E T&T 5s 52	2	107	106¾	106¾
do gen 4½s61B	3	103¼	103	103¼
NOPS 5s ctf 52A	3	84	84	84
do 5s 55 B	2	83¼	83¼	83¼
N Orl T 4s 53	3	90½	90½	90½
NOT&M 5½s 54	2	99	99	99
NYC&HR rf-imp 5s 2013	14	105½	105	105½
do rf-imp 4½s 2013	1	100¾	100¾	100¾
do deb 4s 34	12	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
do con 4s 98	11	94¼	94	94
N Y C & H R rfg 3½s 97	2	84¾	84¾	84¾
NYC&StL 6 32	7	99⅝	99¼	99⅝
do 5½ 74 A	14	101	100½	100½
do 4½ 78 C	31	88	87⅝	87⅝
do 1st 4s 37	12	96	95⅞	96
NYCon R 4½ 53	3	101	101	101
NYDock 5s 38	1	80¾	80¾	80¾
do 4s 51	3	82½	82½	82½
NYEd rf 6½ 41	6	113	112¾	113
NYEdison 5 44	1	105	105	105
N Y G E L H & P pm 4s 49	12	97½	97¼	97½
NY & J 5 32	1	100¼	100¼	100¼
NYNH&H cv 6 48	11	114⅛	114⅛	114⅛
do col tr 6s 40	1	103	103	103
do deb 4 56	11	81	81	81
N Y O & W 1st rfg 4s 92	2	37	37	37
do gen 4 55	1	27	27	27
N Y State Rys 4½s 62 ctfs	13	6	6	6
NYSteam 6 47	2	106⅝	106⅝	106⅝
NYS&W rf 5 37	1	69	69	69
NY Tel rf 6 41	12	106⅝	106½	106½
N Y Tel deb 6 49	5	111	111	111
NYW&B 4½ 46	8	79½	79	79½
Niag Fls P 6 32	65	102⅝	102	102¼
Niag Shar 5½ 50	3	90	90	90
NL&P 5 5 A	3	103	103	103
Nor & Sou 5 41	13	71	69⅞	70
Nor & W con 4 96	6	98¼	97⅞	98¼
Nor Am E 5½ 63	5	102	101½	101½
Nor A Ed 5 69 C	22	97¼	96½	96½
N P 6 2047 B	16	110⅝	110⅛	110⅝
Nor Pac rf and im 5s 2047 D	2	101	101	101
Nor Pac 4½ 2047	1	97½	97½	97½
Nor Pa pr ln 4 97	12	93½	93	93¼
Nor St P 5 41 A	5	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞
Oh P Sv 7½ 64	7	110½	110½	110½
Old Ben Cl 6 44	2	50	50	50
Or WR&N 4 61	24	92	91	92
Otis Steel 6s 41	1	96	96	96
Pac G & El 5s 46	3	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
P T&T rfg 5 52	3	106	106	106
Pan-Am P & Tr 6s 1934	1	102	102	102
P F Lasky 6 47	3	93	92	93
Para Pub 5½ 50	10	83	82⅝	82⅝
Pathe E 7 37 ww	5	50	50	50
Penn Dix 6 41A	17	69	65	65
Penn R R gold 6½s 36	7	108¼	108¼	108¼
do gen 5s 68	3	107	105⅞	107
do 5s 64	37	103½	102½	102½
do gen 4½s 65	18	101⅝	100⅜	101⅜
do 4½s 70 D	36	96½	95¾	96⅛
do 4s 31	1	100¼	100¼	100¼
do 4s 48	1	98	98	98
Peo G L & C of Chi 5s 47	5	104	104	104
Pere M 4½s 80	5	99	99	99
Phila Co 5s 67	45	98½	98	98
Phil Elec 4½ 67	10	102⅛	101⅞	102
Phil R C & I 6 49	4	71	71	71
Phil Pet 5¼s 39	2	86½	86½	86½
PCC&StL 4½s 77	10	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
Pitt&WV 4½ 60C	5	94⅝	93¾	94⅝
do 4½s 59 B	2	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝
Port Ge El 5 35	10	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
P RyLt&P 7½ 46	19	107¼	107¼	107¼
do 5s 42	1	105	105	105
Porto RAT 6s 42	2	62½	62	62
Post T&Ca 5s 53	8	55	53	53
Press Stl C 5 33	1	75⅝	75⅝	75⅝
P S El&G 4½ 67	5	102½	102¼	102½
P S El&G 4½s 70	2	102¼	102¼	102¼
Pure Oil 5½ 37	3	90	90	90
P O 5½s 40	6	89	88⅝	88⅝
Purity B 5s 48	5	90½	89½	89½
Read ge 4½ 97A	7	99⅝	99⅜	99⅝
Read ge 4½ 97B	23	99½	99⅛	99⅛
Re Ra 5½ 47ww	5	84½	84	84
Repl&St 5½ 53	1	85	85	85
Richf O Cal 6 44	19	55	51	55
Rio G W 1 4 39	1	92½	92½	92½
Roch G&El 7 46	8	106	106	106
do 5½s 48	1	105½	105½	105½
RIArk&La 4½ 34	6	99	98½	99
Rutland 1st 4½ 41	2	102¼	102¼	102¼
SJRLH&P 5 37	1	97¼	97¼	97¼
SLIM&S g 5 31	2	100¼	100¼	100¼
SLIM&S 4 R&G div 33	3	98¼	98	98¼
S LRM&P 5 55	3	45	45	45
SLSF pln 5 50 B	1	97½	97½	97½
S L S F 4½ 78	116	78	77	78
SLSF p ln 4 50A	36	86	85	85¾
S L S W T 5 52	7	85	85	85
S L S W 1st 4 89	7	85½	85½	85½
S L SW c 4 32	17	99½	99⅝	99⅝
St P City C 5 37 gtd	1	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝
SA&AP 1st 4 43	10	92	91⅛	91⅛
S A P S 6 52	2	105	105	105
Schul 6½ c 46 A	1	65	65	65
Scioto V&NE 4 89	2	92¼	92¼	92¼
Seab A L c 6 45	103	15	14	15
Seab A L adj 5 49	1	5¼	5¼	5¼
S A L g 4 50 stp	3	43⅝	43½	43½
S A L rfg 4 59	1	16¼	16¼	16¼
S A F R 6 35A	51	9⅝	9	9¼
Sh P Line 5 52	9	85	84	85
Shell U 5 47	8	81⅝	80	80¼
Shell U 5 49 ww	48	82	81	81½
Shubert Th 6 42	7	19¼	19	19¼
Sinc C Oil col7 37	8	96⅝	96	96½
do 6½ 38	8	95½	95	95½
Sinc C O 5½ 38	245	100½	100⅛	100¼
Sinc P L 5 42	62	99⅝	99⅛	99⅝
Skelly Oil 5½ 39	2	78⅞	78⅞	78⅞
Solvay Am 5 42	10	97½	96½	97½
So C Power 6 47	6	101¼	101¼	101¼
Sou Pac 4½ 68	29	95⅝	95½	95½
do 4½ 69 ww	43	97½	96⅝	97⅛
do rfg 4 55	80	93½	93⅛	93⅛
do col tr 4 49	11	91	90⅞	90⅞
do 4½ O L 77	33	99¼	99	99¼
do S F T 4 50	3	92½	92¼	92½
Sou Ry gen6 56	1	109⅝	109⅝	109⅝
do gen 4 56	24	86	85⅞	85⅞
Sou B Mem 5 96	1	100	100	100
S W Bell T 5 54	1	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝
St O N J db5 46	14	103¾	103¼	103¾
St O N Y 4½ 51	20	98¼	97⅞	98⅛
Stevens H 6 45	2	64	64	64
Sug E Ori 7 42	3	15	15	15
T R R A of St L con 5 44	5	103½	103½	103½
do rfg 4 53	12	91½	90	91½
TexarFtS5½ 50A	5	101½	101½	101½
Tex Corp 5 cvt 44	59	100¼	99⅞	100¼
T&P 5 Louis div 31	1	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞
Third A rfg 4s 60	11	45⅝	45	45¼
Trumb Stl 6s 40	2	88⅞	88⅞	88⅞
Un EL&P 5½s 54	9	102	100½	100¼
do 5s 32	4	101	101	101
do rf 5s 33	1	101	101	101
Un O Cal 5s 35 C	11	99¾	99⅝	99⅝
do 5 45 rcts ww	1	91¼	91¼	91¼
Un Pac 1 5s 2008	1	107¼	107¼	107¼
do 4½s 67	19	99¼	99	99¼
do 1 s 4s 47	12	98	97⅞	97⅞
do gold 4s 68	12	92½	92	92¼
do rf 4s 2008	1	93½	93½	93½
Un NPRRCn 4 44	2	95¾	95¾	95¾
Un Dr Del 5s 53	19	95½	95	95⅝
U Rys S L 4s 34	11	61½	60⅝	61½
U S Rubber 5s 47	4	70	69½	70
Utah L&T 5s 44	12	94¾	94¼	94½
Utah P&L 5s 44	3	100	99⅞	99⅞
Utica G&E 5s 57	5	108	108	108
Util P&L 5½ 47	5	73¼	73	73
do 5s 59 ww	13	67⅝	66	67½
Ver Sug 7 42	6	40	40	40
Wab rfg 5½ 75	7	94	93	94
Wab RR 1st 5 39	2	102	102	102
Wab RR 2d 5 39	1	99	99	99
Wab 5 76 B	35	92½	91½	92½
Walworth 6 45	6	75	75	75
Warn Bros P 6 39	47	68	67	67
Warn Quin 6 39	2	50	50	50
Warn S rfg 7 39	10	14	14	14
Warn Sug 7 41	5	101	101	101
West Elec 5 44	4	105¼	105¼	105¼
W Md 5½ 77 A	1	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝
W Maryland 4 52	2	78¼	78	78
West Pac 1st 5 46	1	92	92	92
W Penn P 5 46A	1	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
W Penn P 5 63E	1	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝
W Penn P 5 56 G	1	104½	104½	104½
West Un 6½ 36	5	108	108	108
West Un 5 51	5	102¼	102¼	102¼
W Un R Est4½ 50	1	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
W Union 5s 60	6	102¾	102½	102½
W Shore 1st 4s 2361	1	90	90	90
do 1st 4s 2361 reg	2	86	86	86
Wheel S 5½s48A	5	100	99	100
do 4½s 53 B	9	88⅜	88	88
WhiteSM 6s36 xw	9	29¼	29	29
do 6s 40	1	27	27	27
WickSs 1st 7s 35	2	10	10	10
do cvt 7s 35	2	7¼	7¼	7¼
Wilson&C 1st 6s41	8	98⅝	98½	98½
WisCen 4s S&D div 36	1	65	65	65
Y S & T 5s 78	7	102¼	102	102
FOREIGN BONDS.				
Abitibi P&P 5s 53	11	69½	69¼	69½
Agri B C 6s 47	1	55¼	55¼	55¼
do 6s 48	1	55	55	55
Akershus 5s 63	5	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞
Antio 7s 45 A	3	56⅞	56⅝	56⅝
do 7s 45 B	1	56	56	56
do 7s 45 D	11	55	55	55
do 1st 7s 57	9	48½	48	48
do 2d 7s 57	1	48	48	48
do 3d 7s 57	2	45	45	45
Antwerp 5s 58	1	97	97	97
Argen 6s 57 A	3	91¼	91	91¼
do 6s 58 D	6	90⅞	90⅜	90⅝
do 6s sf 59 June	21	91	90⅛	90⅞
do sf 6s 59 Oct	1	90½	90½	90½
do sf 6s 60 May	5	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
do 6s 60 Sept	3	91½	90¾	91⅛
do 6s 60 Oct	6	91	90½	91
do 6s 61 Feb	4	90¼	90⅛	90¼
Arg 6s 61 May	10	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
Arg 5½s '62	30	85½	85¼	85¼
Arg 5s '45	3	82⅝	82⅝	82⅝
Australia 5s 55	43	73⅝	72⅛	72⅛
Australia 5s 57	50	73	72	73
Australia 4½ 56	25	68	66¼	66¾
Austria gtd 7 43	7	104	103⅞	104
Austria 7 57 ctf	1	90	90	90
Batavian Pet 4½s '42	4	93¼	92⅞	92⅞
Belgium 8s 41	16	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞
Belgium 7s 55	6	111	111	111
Belgium 7s 56	10	107⅝	107½	107½
Belgium 6½s 49	1	107	107	107
Belgium 6s 55	2	101⅝	101¼	101⅝
Bergen City 6 49	2	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
Bergen City 5 60	1	95	95	95
Berlin City Elec 6½s '51	1	69	69	69
do 6½s '59	2	69½	69½	69½
do 6s '55	11	66⅝	65⅝	66
Berlin El Elev 6½s '56	10	70	69	69
Bolivia 8s 47	16	45½	43½	45½
Bolivia 7s 58	17	41⅛	38⅛	38⅛
Bolivia 7s 69	18	38½	38	38
Bordeaux 6s 34	5	104	104	104
Brazil 8s 41	3	73	72½	73
Brazil 6½ 26-57	33	57¼	57	57
Brazil 6½ 27-57	61	57½	56⅞	57
Brazil C Ry El 7s '52	15	57	55½	55½
Breda Ernesto 7s '55 ww	2	57¼	57	57¼
Brisbane 5s 57	5	63	62⅝	63
Brisbane City 5s '58	4	65	65	65
British 5½ 37	90	105	104⅝	104⅝
Bud 6 27-62	5	67⅝	67	67¼
Buen A 6½ 55	8	91⅝	91⅝	91⅝
Buen A 6 61	1	68¼	68¼	68¼
Bulg 7½ 68	6	76½	76	76½
Bulg 7s 67	9	65	64½	65
Caldas 7½s 46	1	66	66	66
Canada 5s 31	12	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
Canada 5s 52	7	104	103⅝	104
Canada 4½s 36	1	101	101	101
Cauca V 7½s 46	10	54½	54	54
C M B 6½ 57	2	77½	77	77½
C M F B 6 61	1	67	67	67
do 6s 62	9	70⅝	70	70
Chile 7s 42	1	90¼	90¼	90¼
Chile 6s 60	3	73	71½	71½
Chile 6s 61	1	74	74	74
Chile 6 61 Sept	3	74½	74¼	74¼
do 6 62 March	4	75½	75½	75½
Chile 6s 63	10	73	72	73
Chil Mun 7 60	1	75	75	75
Chin G Ry 5 51	4	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝
Chris (O) 6s 54	25	100	100	100
Col 6 61 Jan	6	57½	56½	56½
Col 6 61 Oct	1	58	58	58
Col M B 7 46	3	60½	59	59
Comp A 7½ 39	1	16	16	16
Copen 5s 52	2	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
Copen Tel 5 54	2	99	99	99
Costa Rica 7s 51	8	68	68	68
Cuba 5½ 53	1	98⅝	98¼	98¼
Cuba 5½s 45	16	72½	70	72½
Cuba 5 04-44	1	98	98	98
Czecho 8 51	1	110	110	110
Dan Mun 8 46 A	6	107⅝	107⅝	107⅝
Dan Mun 8 46 B	1	107⅝	107⅝	107⅝
Denmk 5½ 55	12	100⅝	100	100
Denmk 4½ 62	19	94	93⅝	93⅝
Deutsche B 6 32	3	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
Dom R sf 5½ 42	1	90	90	90
Do 1st 5½ 26-40	3	87½	87½	87½
Do 2d 5½ 26-40	6	85½	85½	85½
Duke Pr P 6 66	2	103	103	103
D E Indies 6 47	2	101¾	101¾	101¾
D E In 5½ 53 Nv	2	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
El Pow G 6½ 50	10	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛
El Pow G 6½ 53	14	75⅝	75⅛	75⅝
Estonia Rep 7 67	13	60	60	60
Fiat 7 46 ww	8	76½	76½	76½
Fiat 7 46 xw	17	77	76½	76½
Finland sf 7 50	18	94	94	94
Finland 6½ 56	3	89	89	89
Finland 5½ 58	7	77	77	77
Fin ML 6½ 54A	3	88⅝	87	88⅝
Fr I Dev 7½ 42	1	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
Frankft 6½ 53	5	70	70	70
French 7½ 41	10	125⅛	125⅛	125⅛
French 7 49	7	120⅛	120	120⅛
Gelsenkich 6 34	13	90	90	90
Ger C A B 7 50	4	79⅛	79	79
Ger CAB 6 38 Apr	3	79	78	78
Ge CAB 6 60 July	10	69⅝	68⅛	68⅛
Ger C Ag Bk 6s 60 Oct	18	69⅛	68⅝	68⅝
G C A L 6½ 58	1	68	68	68
Ger G I 5½ 65	177	71⅞	70⅝	71
Ger Rep 7s 49	20	101½	101¼	101¼
Ger G El 6s 48	2	83¼	83¼	83¼
G C El P J 7 44	1	93¼	93¼	93¼
Greek 7s 64	2	98½	98½	98½
do 6s 68	2	82½	82½	82½
H'burg St 6 46	1	84⅝	84⅝	84⅝
Han SSL 6 39ww	5	70	70	70
Helsing 6½s 60	2	80	80	80
Hung LM 7½61B	1	84½	84½	84½
Hung M 7½s 45	3	81½	81	81
do 7s 46	5	73	72	72
Ilseder Steel 6 48	3	72½	72	72
Irish Free S 5 60	10	101¾	101⅝	101⅝
Ital Cr C 7 37 A	1	91⅝	91⅝	91⅝
do 7s 47 B	5	84½	84½	84½
Ital P Util 7 52	4	79⅝	79⅝	79⅝
Italy 7s 1951	68	92¼	91⅞	92
Japan 6½s 54	23	102⅝	102½	102⅝
do 5½s 65	4	92	92	92
Jugo Bank 7 57	71	81⅛	80	80¼
Karstadt 6s 43	19	63	61⅛	61⅛
K & Toll 5 59ww	11	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
Lomb El 7 52ww	28	75	75	75
L A HEP 6½ 44	7	75	75	75
Marseilles 6s 34	2	104	104	104
Medellin 6½s 54	2	45	43	43
Milan 6½s 52	24	76	75	76

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SECURITY.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
STOCKS.				
Acme Steel	150	36	36	36
Adams Mfg	10	20	20	20
Adams Royalty	500	4	4	4
Ainsworth Mfg	50	9	9	9
Am Equities	300	4½	4½	4½
Am Radio	50	½	½	½
Art Metal	50	3¾	3¾	3¾
Assoc T&T A	100	66½	66	66
do 7pc	20	100	100	100
Assoc Tel Util	1500	20½	19⅝	20½
Auburn Auto	78	99	99	99
Backstay-Welt	110	13	13	13
Banco Ky	2900	⅛	⅛	⅛
Bendix Aviation	4100	17¼	16	16¼
Borg-Warner	4800	19⅝	18⅝	19⅝
Brach & Sons	50	12	12	12
Br F & W B	150	5½	5	5½
Burnham Trad	50	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Burnham Trad pf	300	5½	5	5½
Butler Bros	700	4⅞	4¾	4¾
Canal Constru	100	5¾	5¾	5¾
Cen Ill P S pf	90	93¾	91	93¾
Cent Ill Sec	150	23	22½	23
Cent Ind P pf	20	80	78	80
Cen Pub Ser A	5500	13⅝	13½	13⅝
Cen & So West	50	16	16	16
Cen & So West pf	300	16¼	16	16¼
Cherry Burrell	10	25	25	25
Chi Invest pf	150	26¾	26½	26¾
Chi No Sh & M pf	20	58¼	58¼	58¼
Cities Service	2200	15⅝	15¼	15⅝
Comwlth Edis	120	220¾	220	220¾
Edison rts	5400	12	11¾	12⅞
Com Wat Svc pf	50	86	86	86
Consumers 7pc pf	40	40	40	40
Cont Chicago	7500	5¾	5½	5⅝
do pfd	2000	35⅝	35¼	35½
Cord Corp	7600	6½	5½	6
Corp Sec	1000	14¾	14⅝	14¾
do ctfs	350	46	45	46
Crane Co	16	40	40	40
do pfd	20	117⅝	115⅝	115⅝
Decker & Cohn	160	6¼	6¼	6¼
Elec Household	25	23⅝	23¼	23⅝
Fitzsimmons & C	160	19⅝	19½	19½
Foote G & Mach	2100	2⅞	2⅜	2⅞
Gen Candy Corp	4975	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
Gleaner	1550	5	5	5
Goldblatt	20	16¼	13⅜	16¼
Gr Lakes Aircr	750	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Gr Lakes Dredge	150	21½	21½	21½
Greyhound	50	6	6	6
Grigsby-Grunow	1950	3¼	3	3¼
Hall Print	50	16½	16½	16½
Hibb Spen Bart	30	47	47	47
Houdaille-Her A	50	11	11	11
do B	200	4½	4½	4½
Illinois Brick	100	15	15	15
Inland Util	300	3¾	3¼	3¼
Insull Util	7000	29⅞	29¼	29⅞
do pf 2d Ser	100	74½	74½	74½
Invest Co of Am	50	7	7	7
Iron Fireman	100	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
Katz Drug	150	16⅝	16¼	16⅝
Kellogg S pfd	10	45	45	45
Ky Ut J C pfd	40	49½	49	49½
Keystone Steel	50	10¼	10¼	10¼
Lane Drug vtc	100	½	½	½
Libby-McNeill	500	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
Lincoln Print	300	20⅝	20	20⅝
Lynch Corp	50	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
Majestic House U	1900	6⅝	6	6⅝
Manhat Dearborn	1550	16⅝	16	16⅝
Marshall Field	800	26½	26¼	26½
McQuay Norris	50	36	36	36
Mer & Mfrs A	200	17¼	17	17¼
Mickelb Food	550	12¾	12	12¾
Mid West Util	7500	17⅛	16⅞	16⅞
Mid W Ut B war	50	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Midl Nat Gas A	650	2½	2	2
Midland United	100	19½	19	19½
Midland Unit pf	200	38	37	38
Mid Ut 7 pc pf	40	93¼	92¼	92¼
Miller & Hart pf	200	19½	18	19½
Mo-Kan Pipe	300	5⅝	5⅛	5⅛
Morgan Litho	100	4¼	4	4
Nat Elec Pow A	150	21	21	21
Nat Leather	150	½	½	½
Nat Rep Inv	100	34	34	34
Nat Sec Inv	150	5⅝	5¼	5¼
Nat Sec In ctf	350	67	66	67
Nat Standard	100	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞
Nor Am Car	500	28⅝	28¼	28⅝
Nor A L & Pow	700	61¼	60¾	61
No & So Am	600	8¼	8	8¼
No West Bancorp	600	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
Ontario Mfg	50	8	8	8
Oshkosh Over pf	50	20¼	20¼	20¼
Peo GL&C rts	2000	9⅞	9½	9⅞
Pines Winter	250	16½	16	16½
Pu Sv rts	1450	16¼	15⅝	16¼
Public Serv pf	75	197½	197	197½
Railroad Sh	150	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
Reliance Intl	250	2½	2½	2½
Reliance Mfg	500	7	7	7
Rollins Hos	150	28½	28	28½
Ruud Mfg	50	17½	17½	17½
Ryerson & Son	100	25	25	25
Seaboard Util	1100	3½	3¼	3⅜
So Colo Pow A	100	20	20	20
So'w G & E pf	20	94	94	94
Steinite Radio	50	½	½	½
Stone (HO) & Co	100	1	1	1
Storkline Furn	60	10¼	10	10
Swift & Co.	100	27½	27½	27½
Swift Intl	950	37	36	37
Twin St Nat Gas	100	21	21	21
Unit Am Util	100	5⅝	5	5⅝
Un Am Util 'A'	150	12¼	11	12¼
U S Gypsum	550	37	36¼	36½
do pf	30	120	120	120
U S Radio & Tel	500	13⅝	13½	13½
Utah Radio	300	2¼	2⅛	2¼
Util P & Lt "A"	200	21½	21½	21½
do n-vot	200	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Util & Ind	500	5⅝	5¼	5½
do pf	3000	15¼	15¼	15¼
Vorclone	300	1¼	1¼	1¼
Vortex Cup "A"	100	25½	25⅝	25¼
Wahl	50	2½	2½	2½
Waukesha Mot	50	40	40	40
Wayne P com	50	6	6	6
do pf	30	22	22	22
Wextark Radio	1850	1	1	1
Wieboldt St	300	16	16	16
Will Oil-O-Matic	200	6	6	6
Wis Bank, Shrs	950	5⅞	5⅝	5⅞
Yates Mach	800	3	3	3
Zenith Radio	1200	2¼	2	2¼
BONDS.				
Insull 6 40	8	83	83	83

BOND SALES—CONTINUED

SECURITY.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
FOREIGN BONDS.				
Minas G 6½s 58	3	43½	43½	43½
do 6½s 59 ctf	17	47	43½	47
MM&A 7s 37 ww	18	90½	89⅝	90½
Montevideo 7s 52	2	80	80	80
N'lands 6s 72	1	105⅛	105¼	105⅛
N S Wales 5s 57	7	62	61⅞	62
Nord R sf 6½ 50	4	104⅞	104¼	104⅞
N G Lloyd 6s 47	3	82¼	82¼	82¼
Norway 6s 52	10	102½	102	102½
do 6s 44	2	104⅞	104⅞	104⅞
do 6s 43	13	105	104¾	105
do 5½s 65	18	102⅛	101⅞	102¼
do 5s 63	20	100½	100	100
Nor Mun Bk 5s 67	1	100	100	100
Nor H E 5½s 57	11	97½	97⅛	97⅛
Orient D L 6s 53	1	95	95	95
do 5½s 58	5	87½	87½	87½
Oslo 6s 55	11	101	101	101
do 5½s 46	9	101	101	101
Oslo G&EW 5s 63	25	95¼	95¼	95¼
Panama 5½s 53	1	102¼	102¼	102¼
Par-L-M 7s 58	9	106⅝	106⅝	106⅝
do 6s 58	4	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝
Paulista Ry 7 42	4	93	90	90
Pernamb 7s 47	3	46¼	46	46
Peru 1st 6 60	16	36	35	35⅝
Peru 2d 6s 1961	2	37	37	37
Poland 8s 50	12	78	77¼	77½
Poland 7s 47	11	73	71	72
Poland 6s 40	5	64	63⅝	63⅝
Prussia 6s 52	8	70	69	70
Prus 6½s 51	8	76⅛	75	76¼
Queensld 7s 41	4	93½	90⅝	93
Rhinelbe 7 46ww	4	83½	81	81
do 7 46 xw	41	83½	81⅝	81⅝
Rhine Ru W 6 53	6	80	80	80
Rh Westph 7 50	3	87¾	87½	87½
Rhine West 6 52	1	77¾	77¾	77¾
Rhine W 6 53ww	11	75¾	75¾	75¾
Rh West 6 55ww	7	74½	73	73
Rio de Jan 8s 46	5	67	66	66
Rio de J 6½ 53	1	49	49	49
Rio Gr do S8 46	6	75	74	74
do 7s 66	9	53	51	51½
do 6s 68	6	41½	39⅝	41½
Rome 6½s 52	28	79	78½	78½
Roy Dutch 4 45	26	87⅝	87	87
Rum Inst 7s 59	25	74⅞	73	73
Sao Paul Ct 6½ 57	1	50½	50½	50½
Sa P St 8s 36	1	86	86	86
Sao P St 7s 56	1	56	56	56
Sao Pau St 6 68	16	42	40½	42
Sao Pau St 7 40	18	72	70¼	70¼
Sante Fe A 7 42	6	82	82	82
Sax Pub W 7 45	15	75	74¾	74¾
S P Wk 6½ 51	5	74	72¾	74½
Sax St M I 7 45	1	78¼	78¼	78¼
S S M I 6½ 46	1	74¾	74¾	74¾
Seine 7 42	8	107	106⅞	107
Serbs Cts Sl 8 62	1	90½	90½	90½
Serbs Ct Sl 7 62	21	78⅝	78	78
Siem & H 6½ 51	10	89¾	89¼	89¾
Silesia Pr 7 58	2	55⅞	55⅞	55⅞
Soissons 6 36	10	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
Styria 7 46	1	91½	91½	91½
Swed 5½ 54	8	105⅜	104⅞	105
Swiss Con 8 40	4	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝
Swiss 5½ 46	25	106	105	106
Sydney 5½ 55	8	73	70	73
Toho E Po 6 32	5	96¼	96⅛	96¼
Tokyo C 5½ 61	28	89	87⅛	89
Tokyo E L 6 53	9	82⅝	81⅞	82⅝
Trondhj 5½ 57	5	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
T H E P 7½ 55	3	93	92½	92½
T H E P 7 57	4	88⅝	88⅛	88⅛
Ujigawa EP 7 45	2	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
U S W 6½ 51 A	13	72¼	71	71¼
U S W 6½ 47 A	7	71⅝	69⅛	69½
U S W 6½ 51 C	3	71	69⅝	69⅝
Upper Au 6½ 57	3	87	87	87
Uruguay 8 46	3	99½	99½	99½
Uruguay 6 60	1	75	75	75
Uruguay 6 64	1	74⅝	74	74⅝
Venet PMB 7 52	3	93	93	93
Vienna C 6 52	5	83½	83½	83½
Warsaw C 7 58	13	57¼	55½	57¼
W U E P 6 53	11	65½	65¼	65¼
Wurttemb E 7 56	3	83½	83¼	83½
Yokoh 6 61	19	95½	94½	94½
N. Y. CITY & N. Y. STATE BONDS.				
N Y C 4½ 60 M	35	100⅝	100¼	100¼
GOVERNMENT BONDS.				
Lib 3½ 32-47	12	101—28	101—28	101—28
Lib 1st 4¼ 32-47	10	102—30	102—26	102—30
Lib 4th 4¼ 33-38	271	103—20	103—18	103—19
Treas 4¼ 47-52	1	112—3	112—3	112—3
Treas 4 44-54	1	108—4	108—4	108—4
Treas 3¾ 46-56	1	106—4	106—4	106—4
Treas 3⅜ 1940-43	176	102—7	102—4	102—7
Treas 3⅜ 43-47	1	102—17	102—13	102—13

Dividend Is Omitted.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Directors of Selected Industries, Inc., an investment trust, have omitted the quarterly dividend of $1.37½ usually declared on the prior stock at this time.

PRODUCE EXCHANGE STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Following is a list of some of the stocks traded in on the New York Produce Exchange, giving sales and high, low and closing quotations (sales 00 omitted):

SECURITY.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am Corp	5	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Bagdad	5	40c	40c	40c
Bankers S 6 pp	1	12⅝	12⅛	12¼
Chase Nat Bank	†30	85	84½	85
Corp Trust Shrs	3	5⅝	5⅛	5⅛
Det & Can Tun	3	3¾	3⅜	3⅜
First Bank Stock	1	20¾	20⅜	20¾
Hamilton Gas vtc	6	2½	2½	2½
Intl Rust Iron	15	37c	37c	37c
Int Arust	†370	14½	14½	14½
Irving Trust	1	31	31	31
Jenkins	1	2½	2½	2½
Mfrs Trust	†50	30	30	30
Manhattan	†10	76½	76½	76½
Maxweld	1	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
National Liberty	2	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
Nor Am Tr Shares	3	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
North Am Fin A	1	23½	23½	23½
Pete Con	1	6½	6½	6½
H Rubinstein pf	1	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
Sylvestre Util	1	2½	2½	2½
Trent Process	2	⅝	⅝	⅝
Whittlesey Mfg A	5	8c	8c	8c

COTTON CLOSES HIGHER ON NEW YORK MARKET

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Cotton was fairly active during today's early trading, with prices advancing on pre-holiday covering and some local buying promoted by relatively steady Liverpool cables and reports of a better tone in the stock market. Active months sold about 10 to 12 points net higher, with May advancing to 10.29c, but business later was very quiet, with fluctuations rather irregular. At 2 o'clock prices were 3 or 4 points off from the best, with the market about 5 to 8 points net higher.

Futures closed steady, 7 to 11 points higher: Jan., 9.63c; new contracts: Jan., 9.72@73c; March, 9.98c; May, 10.28@30c; July, 10.52@54c; Oct., 10.70c. Spot steady; middling, 9.85c.

Cotton opened steady, up 1 to 5 points on covering and some local buying on the relatively steady showing of Liverpool. Offerings were light and covering became a little more active after the call with active months selling about 5 to 7 points net higher. New January advanced to 9.69c and May to 10.24c, and buying appeared to be promoted by the firmer tone of the stock market and the reduction in the New York Federal Reserve Bank rate. General business was restricted by the proximity of the holiday, and the market was quiet during the early period. Liverpool cable said that some hedging had been absorbed by covering and continental buying in that market. The Liverpool market will remain closed from today until next Monday morning.

Trading continued quiet, but the market was steady later in the morning on further pre-holiday covering, which sent prices about 9 to 10 points net higher on the more active positions. There was considerable switching from near to later deliveries, but December appeared to have been pretty well evened up and went out quietly at midday. Last sale in the new contract being at 9.75c. New January was selling around 9.71c and May 10.95c at midday, or 7 to 9 points net higher.

CRUDE OIL PRODUCTION DECREASES 30,650 BBLS.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The daily average gross crude oil production in the United States decreased 30,650 barrels for the week ended Dec. 20, totaling 2,202,000 barrels, according to the weekly summary of the American Petroleum Institute. The daily average production east of California was 1,599,800 barrels, a decrease of 21,350 barrels.

Refineries representing 95.7 per cent of the estimated daily potential refining capacity, operating at 65.3 per cent of their capacity, reported daily average run of crude oil to stills as 2,333,100 barrels. Daily average the previous week was 2,285,100 barrels for refineries representing 95.7 per cent of potential capacity operating at 64.0 per cent of their capacity.

Refinery operation.

Crude run to stills, week ended Dec. 20, 16,332,000 barrels, total daily average 2,333,100 barrels; crude run to stills, week ended Dec. 13, 15,996,000 barrels, tital daily average, 2,285,100. Gasoline stocks, week ended Dec. 20, 39,816,000 barrels; gasoline stocks, week ended Dec. 13, 37,680,00 barrels.

Gas and fuel oil stocks: Dec. 20, 137,017,000 barrels; Dec. 13, 137,881,000 barrels.

DIVIDEND DECLARATIONS

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec 24.—Brigg Manufacturing Co. directors have declared an extra dividend of 12½ cents and a quarterly dividend of 37½ cents, the first dividends paid since the end of 1927.

The Elgin National Watch Co. has taken no action on its dividend, pending a more complete report for the year. A year ago an extra of $1 was declared, and three months ago a quarterly dividend of 50 cents was paid.

R. S. Reynolds, president of Selected Industries, Inc., commenting today on the decision of directors to omit the quarterly dividend of $1.37½ on the prior stock, said that while assets substantially exceed the capital value of the prior stock, even on the basis of present depressed market quotations of its securities, "nevertheless the shrinkage of security values has been such as to preclude the payment of dividends for the current quarter on the prior stock under the Delaware law."

The Delaware, Lackawanna & Eastern Railroad declared the regular quarterly dividend of $1.50 a share, but omitted the $1 extra which had been paid annually since 1924.

ANACONDA COPPER DIVIDEND

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Anaconda Copper Mining Co. today declared the regular quarterly dividend of 62½ cents a share. Its subsidiary, Andes Copper, also authorized the regular payment of 25 cents.

Earlier in the year Anaconda's annual dividend basis had been reduced, by successive steps, from $7 to the present $2.50 rate, which today's action maintains.

The directors, in a statement, said the cost of producing electrolytic copper in October, the latest month for which figures were available, was 7.18 cents a pound before depreciation, interest and taxes, and 8.63 cents after all charges. This price was about a cent below the lowest market quotation for the metal.

Current assets of the company on Nov. 30 were $138,030,544, while current liabilities totaled $67,510,667. Investment in buildings, machinery and equipment, excluding real estate, mines, etc., was $263,706,845, against which depreciation of $91,181,251 had been reserved. Finished metals, as of that date, were carried at $38,211,486 and manufactured products at $21,262,357.

$9,000,000 Dividend Voted.

By the Associated Press.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 24.—A $9,000,000 dividend has been voted by directors of the Midwest Refining Co. The company announced an extra dividend of $14 a share had been declared on the 624,081 shares of outstanding stock, payable Dec. 22 to stock of record Dec. 19.

ST. LOUIS MARKET

ST. LOUIS STOCK EXCHANGE, Dec. 24—Total sales today amounted to 5427 shares, compared with 2734 shares yesterday.

Following is a complete list of securities traded in giving sales, high, low, close and net changes. The closing bid and asked prices are also given.

Stocks and Annual Dividends in Dollars	Sales	High.	Low.	Close.	Net Ch'ge.	Close Bid.	Close Asked
Brown Shoe 3	25	35¾	35⅝	35⅝	.....	35½	36
Franklin-Am Trust 12	5	198	198	198		195	200
Fulton Iron Works	1551	⅛	⅛	⅛	— ⅛	⅛	¼
Fulton Iron Works pfd	25	5	5	5	.....	.....	6
Hussmann-Ligonier	110	3	3	3	.....	.....	3
International Shoe 3	840	47½	47½	47½	—1¼	47½	48
Landis Machine 3	5	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞		26	26¾
Marathon Shoe	100	6⅛	6⅛	6¼	• ¼	6	10
Mercantile-Commerce 15	91	186	181	185	*10	185	190
Missouri Portland Cement 2	26	25¼	25¼	25¼	— ⅝	25	26
National Candy 2	20	19	19	19	.....	19	.....
Scullin Steel pref	2000	7	7	7	—1	7	8
Southwestern Bell pfd 7	180	117	117	117	— ½	116¾	117¼
Wagner Electric 2b	465	17⅛	17	17	— ⅛	17	17⅛

Closing Bid and Asked Quotations on Day's Inactive Stocks.

SECURITY	Bid.	Asked.	SECURITY	Bid.	Asked.
Boatmen's Nat Bank 8	.....	184	Johnson-Stephens-S Shoe 2.50	.....	33
First National Bank 3	67½	69	Key Boiler Equipment 1	.....	26
xJefferson Bank 12	200	.....	xKoplar pfd	.....	30
Lafayette-South Side B 12	.....	350	Knapp-Monarch 2	.....	34
Manchester Bank 8	200	240	xdo pfd 3.25	32	.....
United Bank & Trust 6	.....	150	Laclede Gas Light pfd 5	99	.....
Mississippi Valley 12	.....	225	Laclede Steel Co 2	33	.....
xSouthern Com Sav Bk 8	190	.....	Laclede-Christy 1.25	.....	22
St Louis Union Trust 16	450	500	McQuay-Norris 3	36	36½
xTitle Guaranty Trust	.....	15	xMeletio Sea Food 2	43	50
Alligator Co	.....	15½	xdo pfd 7	.....	90
A S Aloe com 2.50	25	29	Meyer-Blanke 1.25	.....	12½
A S Aloe pfd 7	91	96	xdo pfd 7	.....	89
American Credit Indemnity 4	.....	38	xMermod, Jaccard pfd 7	.....	95
American Inv B	6	10	Moloney El A 4	57	60
Baer, Sternberg & Cohen com	.....	10	Michigan-Davis	18½	.....
xdo 1st pfd 7	80	90	National Candy 1st pfd 7	.....	107
xdo 2d pfd 8	85	100	do 2d pfd 7	95¼	.....
xBeck & Corbitt pfd 7	.....	84	National Bearing Metals	.....	30
Bentley Chain Stores	1¼	.....	do pfd 7	.....	100
Bentley Chain Stores pfd	.....	27	Nicholas-Beazley	1	2
Berrey Motor Corp 1.20	.....	15	Pedigo-Lake Shoe com	.....	8
Boyd-Welsh Shoe com 3	.....	36	xPickrel Walnut 1.20	.....	17
xBoyd-Richardson pfd 8	110	.....	Rice-Stix D G 1st pfd 7	92	.....
Brown Shoe com 3	35½	36	do 2d pfd 7	80	.....
Bruce com	.....	25	do com 1.50	7½	.....
Bruce pfd 7	75	.....	xScruggs-V-B D G 1st pfd 6	.....	67
Burkart Mfg com	.....	5	xdo 2d pfd 7	.....	67
Burkart Mfg pfd 2.20	.....	9½	do com	.....	9½
xCentral Coal & Coke com	4	10	Securities Inv Co. com. 3	24	25
Chicago Ry Equipment c 1	.....	11	Securities Inv. Co. pfd. 8	100	105
Chicago Ry Equipment p 1.75	20	24	xSedalia Wat. pfd. 7	.....	90
Champion Shoe M 1st pfd 7	.....	80	xSchoenemann pfd. 7	.....	98
xCentury Elect 6	.....	102	Smith-Davis	.....	8
Coca-Cola Bottling Sec 1	37¼	38	Sieloff Packing Co. 1.20	17	.....
Consolidated Lead	1⅛	2	Skouras Bros. "A"	8	10
Corno Mills 2	21	24	Southern Acid com. 3	44¼	46
xConsol Coal	.....	20	Stix, Baer & Fuller com. 1.50	.....	16
Curtis Mfg 2.50	15½	16⅛	St. Louis Bank Bldg. 1	.....	8½
Dr Pepper 1	29	31	St. Louis Screw 1.50	25	30
Elder Mfg com 1	17	20	xdo pfd. 7	100	.....
Elder Mfg A 5	60	64	St. Louis Car com.	5	10
Elder Mfg 1st pfd 8	104½	.....	St. Louis Car pfd. 7	.....	87
xEmerson Electric pfd 7	85	90	Steinberg's Drug pfd. 3.50	.....	35
Ely & Walker D G 1st pf 7	90	100	xSt. Louis Amusement	5	.....
Ely & Walker D G 2d pfd 6	.....	80	St. Louis Pub. Service	1¼	1½
Ely & Walker D G com 2	.....	20	St. Louis Pub. Service pfd.	10	20
xEistenstadt pfd 7	.....	25	Sunset Stores	2	4
Fred Medart com 2	.....	25	xSunset Stores pfd. 3.50	.....	38
Globe-Democrat pfd 7	115	116	Title Ins. Corp	.....	25
xGranite-Bimetallic	20c	30c	xWabash Tel Sec pfd. 7	.....	100½
Hamilton-Brown Shoe	3½	4¾	Wagner Elec Corp pfd. 7	104	.....
Huttig com	.....	4½	City & Sub P Sv 5s	.....	73
xdo pfd	.....	40	E St L & S Co 5s	96½	97
Hydraulic Press Brick pfd	.....	27	United Railways 4s	.....	62½
do com	1	1½	Moloney Elec. 5½s	.....	92
xIncome Leasehold com 1.50	18	21	Nat. Bearing Met. 6s	.....	100
International Shoe pfd 6	107	109	xPierce Bldg 5s	97	.....
Independent Packing com	3⅞	4	xPontiac R Ext 5s	99	.....
do pfd	75	.....	Scruggs 7s	93	95
Johansen Bros Shoe 1.50	.....	19	Scullin Steel 6s	69	70
			St. Louis Car 6s	.....	92

†Dividend rates as given in the table are in annual cash payments based on the latest quarterly or half-year declarations, or, in case of newly listed securities, the dividend intention announced at the time of original sale and listing. Unless otherwise noted, extra or special dividends are not included.

xLast quotations, as none were made today.

xxBond sales, 000 omitted.

(b) Includes extras.

BUYING RATES ON BANKERS' ACCEPTANCES ARE REDUCED

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The Federal Reserve Bank of New York, which yesterday reduced its rediscount rate to 2 per cent, today cut its buying rates on bankers' acceptances. The new rate for maturities up to 120 days is 1¾ per cent compared with 1⅞ to 2⅛ previously. Long maturities were cut to 2 per cent, a drop of ¼ of 1 per cent.

Numerous dealers in bankers' bills also revised their rates downward by an eighth of 1 per cent.

The American Acceptance Council, however, announced no change in its official rates and some dealers who had cut returned to the old levels.

TO CUT COMMISSION RATE ON LOW INACTIVE STOCKS

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The Governing Committee of the New York Stock Exchange today approved a proposal to lower commission rates on inactive stocks selling at less than $10 a share, in units of 10 shares. The new rates, on which the membership is to vote, would become effective Jan. 7.

The schedule provides that the commission on $5 to $10 stocks be not less than 10 cents a share and on $1 to $5 stocks not less than 5 cents. Heretofore the rate on all inactive stocks quoted between $1 and $100 has been 20 cents a share.

LONDON STOCKS UP ON OUR REDISCOUNT RATE REDUCTION

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Reduction of the discount rate by the Federal Reserve Bank of the United States, which came as a surprise to financial London, caused renewed strength in gilt-edge securities on the Stock Exchange today, where general advances were recorded.

It was thought in some quarters that the Bank of England might lower its rate, but in view of the recent outward gold movement the directors decided to leave the rate unchanged.

RAILROAD EARNINGS

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The first 15 railroads to report November earnings had net operating income of $15,846,000, a decrease of 26 per cent from $21,431,000 for the like month last year. The figures for November this year also showed a decrease of 44.7 per cent from the previous month.

Roads reporting today, with comparisons with November last year, included:

	1930.	1929.
Wabash	$ 538,844	$ 697,045
Ann Arbor	48,284	77,562
Lehigh Valley	627,820	491,450
Reading	1,363,950	1,592,032

AMERICAN COTTON MOVEMENTS SLOWER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The movement of American cotton into sight, forwardings to mills and exports, have been running lower in recent weeks than in the same weeks last year or two years ago, the New York Cotton Exchange Service reports. The low movement is attributed to the relatively small demand and the low rate of world consumption.

PRE-HOLIDAY QUIET TRADING IN BONDS

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24. — The strong tone of shares and the reassuring action by the Federal Reserve Bank in cutting the rediscount rate helped bonds today. Foreign issues were erratic but domestic obligations, both liens and convertibles, were firm. Bids were limited to a small fraction above the previous close so that the day's trading failed to make much impression on the price level. The day's turnover was the smallest in several weeks as traders and investors turned their thoughts to Christmas.

Some of the rails that have moved in sympathy with stocks were buoyant. Boston & Maine 5s, Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul 5s, Erie 5s of 1967, Missouri Pacific 5s, Nickel Plate 4½s, Northern Pacific 4s and Pennsylvania general 4½s made good progress, advancing from ½ to more than a point each. The same was true of International Telephone 4½s and International Hydro Electric 6s.

Trading in United States Governments was confined principally to Liberty 4th 4¼s, and Treasury 3⅜s, with the former advancing 2-32ds. The group was fairly steady. The market in many of the usually active foreign dollar bonds was thin. Latin Americans were irregularly lower. German Governments were firm in common with the general trend of Europeans.

The unexpected action of the New York Federal Reserve Bank in reducing its rediscount rate to 2 per cent was regarded in financial circles as a bullish argument for the Bond Market. There were confident predictions in bond circles that aside from whatever effect it might exert on money rates generally, already the lowest in many years, it would have a strong psychological effect in encouraging commercial banks especially to resume their purchasing of investment obligations, since they now have assurance that the easy money policy of the Federal Reserve will be continued well into the coming year.

Proposed for Reinstatement.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Norris B. Henrotin, who was floor member of the New York Stock Exchange firm of J. A. Sisto & Co., which was suspended for insolvency Sept. 30, has been proposed for reinstatement as a member of the Exchange. The Committee on Admissions will consider the proposal Dec. 31.

New York Stock Market (Continued)

*Range for 1929-1930 High.	Low.	Stocks and Annual Dividends in Dollars.	Sales in 100s.	High for Day.	Low for Day.	Close for Day.	Ch'ge for Day.
112	x51½	Woolworth 2.40	37	55½	53¼	54⅛	+1½
x109	43	Worth P & M	57	62⅞	59	60	+2
x96¾	x63	W P & M pf B 6	1	69½	69½	69½	+3½
80⅞	65	Wrigley Jr 4	1	66⅝	66⅝	66⅝	+ ⅝
88	x26½	Yale & Towne 2	7	26⅛	26	26	— ½
51½	7½	Yell T & C	18	9⅝	9¼	9½	+ ⅜
59¾	x19	Young S & W 3	9	22¼	21¼	22¼	+2
59⅛	x2	Zenith Radio	5	2¼	2	2¼	.....

OLD AND NEW CROP WHEAT FUTURES CLOSE HIGHER

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 24.—Both May and July wheat closed ½c higher today, with May corn up ⅞c. A late dispatch told of Canadian and European buying of old crop wheat at Chicago.

It was reported earlier that the season's last cargo of wheat from Canada for Europe had left Quebec, that Argentine shipments had decreased and that New York reported pick up in export.

Both May and July wheat started out at unchanged price levels.

Winnipeg opened a shade higher and closed ¼c lower.

Liverpool came ⅜d lower in one cable. The close was ⅝d to ¾d lower.

May wheat opened at 79, July wheat 64, May corn 69⅜ and July corn 72.

Local wheat receipts which were 46,200 bushels, compared with 56,000 last week and holiday last year, included 22 cars local and 11 through. Corn receipts, which were 46,200 bushels, compared with 89,600 last week and holiday last year. Oats included 30 cars local and 3 through. Oats receipts, which were 17,000 bushels compared with 22,000 last week and holiday last year, included 7 cars local and 1 through. Hay receipts were 9 cars local and 4 through.

St. Louis Cash Grain.

Sales of cash grain made on the floor of the exchange today were as follows:

WHEAT—No. 1 red winter wheat, 83c; sample grade red winter wheat, 77c; No. 2 red garlicky wheat, 79½c; No. 1 hard wheat, 78¾c; No. 2 hard wheat, 77½c; No. 1 mixed wheat, 80c.

CORN—No. 4 mixed corn, 59c; No. 2 yellow corn, 64½c; No. 3 yellow corn, 63c; No. 4 yellow corn, 60½c; No. 6 yellow corn, 59c.

OATS—No. 1 white oats, 34c; No. 3 white oats, 33½c; No. 1 mixed oats, 35c.

WHEAT HAS ADVANCE ON CHICAGO MARKET

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—European and Canadian buying of future deliveries of old crop wheat here gave a sudden hoist to the wheat market today. May wheat (old contracts) rose to the highest price for that delivery since Nov. 3. Most dealers here were unaware of proposed legislation at London. Washington suggestions of an embargo on wheat imports into the United States were also unknown to the rank and file.

Wheat closed unsettled ½-1⅜ cents a bushel higher than yesterday. Corn closed ⅛-¾ cents up, oats ⅜ cent advance and provisions varying from 20 cents decline to a rise of 22.

Wheat averaged lower and corn higher at the opening today.

Absence of aggressive buying characterized the wheat market, whereas corn offerings were relatively scarce. Starting ⅜c off to ¼c up, wheat afterward held steady. Corn opened ⅜@⅞c higher and subsequently reacted.

Influenced by corn strength, Chicago wheat at one stage took a quick upward shoot of more than 1 cent for March and May deliveries. The upturn was aided by a report that the season's last wheat cargo from Canada for Europe had left Quebec. There were also New York advices that export business had picked up and that Argentine shipment for the last week had decreased.

Corn traders gave some attention to assertion that during the winter months the average disappearance of corn was between 400,000,000 and 450,000,000 bushels, against average primary receipts of 300,000,000. Corn arrivals at primary centers today were but 881,000 bushels compared with 1,097,000 a week ago. Oats followed corn.

Provisions advanced, responsive to upturns in hog values.

FUTURE GRAIN PRICES

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 24.—Following are today's high, low and previous close in local markets and quotations as received from other markets:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
DECEMBER WHEAT.				
Chi...	77¾	76⅝	77¼a	77
*Chi..	77½	77¼	77½	
K. C..	69b	69b	69b	68½
Minn....	71¾	71½	71¾	71½
Winn...	52	51	52	51⅜
MARCH WHEAT.				
Chi...	81⅜	80	81-⅛	80
*Chi..	81¾	80⅝	81¾	80⅜
Liver. ..	63⅛	62¼	62¼	
MAY WHEAT.				
St. L.	79½b	79	79½b	79
Chi...	82¼	81¼	82-⅛	81⅞-
*Chi..	83	81¾	82½	82⅛-
K. C.	74¼	73	73¼a	73b
Minn.	76½-⅜	76½	76½	76½
Liver. ..	64¼	63⅜	63⅜	64¼
Winn..	55⅝	54¼	55-⅛	54⅝
JULY WHEAT.				
St. L.	64½	64	64½	64
*Chi..	66⅛	65⅛	65¾-⅞	65¼
K. C..	60⅞	59¾	60½a	59⅝
DECEMBER CORN.				
Chi...	64⅞	64⅛	64⅛	64-
*Chi..	64¾	64⅛	64⅜	
K. C..	59⅜a	59⅜a	59⅜a	
MARCH CORN.				
Chi...	68	67⅛	67¼-⅜	
*Chi..	68½	67⅞	68⅛-¼	
MAY CORN.				
St. L.	69⅞	69⅜	69⅞	
Chi...	70	68⅝	69⅝-¼	68
*Chi..	70½	69½	70-69¾	
K. C..	65⅜	64⅛	64⅞-⅞b	
JULY CORN.				
St. L.	72	71¾	71¾	
*Chi..	71⅝	70¾	71	
K. C..	67⅛	66¼	66¾b	
DECEMBER OATS.				
Chi. ..	31½	31¼	31½a	31
Minn. ..	28½	28¼	28¾	
Winn..	26⅝	26½	26½	
MARCH OATS.				
Chi. ..	32¼	32⅛	32¼a	
*Chi...	32⅝	32⅝	32⅝	
MAY OATS.				
Chi....	33⅜	33	33¼a	
*Chi...	33⅞	33⅜	33⅜	
DECEMBER RYE.				
Chi....	43	41¾	41¾	
MARCH RYE.				
Chi....	43a	43a	43a	
MAY RYE.				
Chi....	43⅞	42¾	43½	
*Chi...	43¾a	43¾a	43¾a	
JULY RYE.				
*Chi...	42⅞a	42⅞a	42⅞a	

*New.

GRAIN, BIDS AND OFFERS

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Grain bids and offers were as follows:

	Bids.	Offers.
May wheat, new	81¾	
July wheat, new	64⅞	
March corn, old	65¾	
May corn, old	67⅞	
July corn, new	69⅞	

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 24.—Grain bids and offers:

	Bids.	Offers.
May wheat	79½	
May corn	68½	

LEAD, ZINC AND COPPER

Lead was quoted at $4.95 per 100 pounds in St. Louis today. Slab zinc was quoted at $4.10@4.15 per 100.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Copper steady; Electrolytic—Spot and future, 10. Iron steady, unchanged. Tin firm; spot and nearby $26.37; future, $26.50. Lead quiet; spot New York, $5.10; East St. Louis, $4.95. Zinc—Spot and future, $4.10@4.15. Antimony—Spot [illegible].

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Standard copper spot, £46 10s; futures, £46 [illegible]. Electrolytic spot, £49 5s; futures, £[illegible]. Tin spot, £115 15s; futures £117 [illegible]. Lead £15 2s 6d; futures £15 2s 6d. Zinc £13 15s; futures £14 5s.

New York Silk.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Raw silk futures closed steady; sales 420 bales; Dec. $2.45@50c; March, 2.30c; [illegible] Open market quotations (60-day terms): Shanghai steam extra B, [illegible] double extra A 14-16s, $1.8[illegible]; crack double extra, $2.75.

NEW YORK CURB MARKET

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Following is a complete list of securities traded in on the New York Curb Exchange today, giving sales, highest, lowest and closing prices on all stocks and bonds. Symbols: ††Ex-dividends. **Ex-rights. A, Plus extra. B, Plus 10 per cent in stock. F, Payable in stock. G, Partly extra. H, Plus 5 per cent in stock. J, Partly stock. R, Cash or stock. K, Paid so far this year. WI, When issued. N, New. WW, With warrants. XW, Without warrants. †Odd lot. Stock sales, 00 omitted; bond sales, 000 omitted.

SECURITY.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
STOCKS.				
Acme Steel ...	5	33¾	33¾	33¾
Aero Underwrit .	1	5¼	5¼	5¼
Air Inv cvt pf..	4	5	4½	5
Ala Gt Sou pf13G	†10	90½	90½	90½
Ala Power pf 7..	†50	115	115	115
Allied Mills .60..	3	5	4¾	5
Alum Co Am	†250	153	150	152
Am Austin Car .	50	1⅜	1	1⅜
Am Capital B .	5	5	5	5
do pf 3	5	28¾	28	28¾
A Cit P & L A 3R	1	33	33	33
do 10 pc F ...	3	5⅝	5⅛	5⅜
A C P A 10 pc F	23	12	11	12

SECURITY.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
STOCKS.				
Mount P r1.60 .	3	4⅞	4⅝	4⅝
Natl Am Co ...	13	4⅛	3⅝	4⅛
Nat Bancservice	†300	3½	3	3
Nat B & Sh¾K	5	27⅝	27¼	27¼
Nat Fa St 10 pcf	1	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Nat Fu & Gas 1	9	22	21⅛	21⅛
Nat Investors .	6	4½	4⅛	4⅛
Nat Leather	7	⅝	⅝	⅝
Nat Sh T SA ½	5	15⅛	14⅞	15⅛
Natl Trans 1 ..	3	13	13	13
Nat Un Rad ..	1	1½	1½	1½
Nauheim Phar pf	3	2	2	2
Nestle Le Mur..	5	2¼	2¼	2¼
Nev Cal Elec	†50	84½	84½	84½

SECURITY.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
DOMESTIC BONDS.				
	2	78¼	78	78¼
EO&R 5½s 42..	1	75¼	75¼	75¼
Fed W 5½s 54..	4	16	15	15
Fisk R 5½s 31.	8	82½	82	82½
Fla P & L 5s 54.	12	92	91⅜	91⅝
Gat Pow 6s 41..	3	88	88	88
do 6s B 41 ..	11	53	52	53
G Rayon 6s A 48	2	12	12	12
G Vend 6s37 ww	12	98⅜	98	98⅜
Geo Pow 5s 67.	94	86⅝	86⅜	86⅝
GilletteSR 5s 40.	10	90⅛	90⅛	90⅛
Glidden C 5½s 35	1	99	99	99
Green MP 5s 48.	4	105½	105⅜	105½
Gd Trk 6½s 36.	5	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
Gulf Oil Pa 5s 47	2	21	21	21
Ground G 6s 44.	2	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
Gulf O Pa 5s 37.	1	95⅝	95⅝	95⅝
Gulf S U 5sA56.	5	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
Hanna 6s 34 ...	2	76	75	76
Hood R 7s 36 ..				
Hygrade Food 6s 'A' '49	2	46	45¼	45¼
IllP&Lt 5½s 57	5	87	87	87
IllP&Lt 5½ B 54	5	99½	98½	98½
IndplsP&L 5A 57	36	99⅝	98⅝	98⅝
InsullUIn 6 B40	18	83⅜	83⅛	83¼
InterlPS 7 E 57	5	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
InterlSAm 5 47.	19	70	69½	69½

SECURITY.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
FOREIGN BONDS.				
Nip E P 6½ 53	18	84½	83⅛	84¼
Parana Braz 7 58	4	39⅛	37	37
Ruhr Ch 6 A 48	9	60	60	60
Ruhr G 6½ A53	7	71⅜	71	71
Stinnes 7 36 xw	1	64¾	64¾	64¾
do 7s 46 xw .	3	61⅝	60⅛	61⅝
Terni Elec 6½ 53	62	76	75	75⅝
Unit El Serv 7 56	2	77⅛	77⅛	77⅛
Un Iudust 6½ 41	4	71⅛	71⅛	71⅛

NEW YORK RUBBER MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Rubber, spot smoked ribbed, 8⅛c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Rubber futures opened irregular: Dec., 8.40c; March, 8.50c; May, 8.70c; new contracts: Dec., 8.45c; March, 8.67c; May, 8.86c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Rubber futures closed dull; Dec. 8.50; March 8.60; May 8.80; new contracts, Dec. 8.65; March 8.72; May 8.90.

New York Sugar.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Raw sugar was unchanged early today, but the undertone was easier, owing to the setback in futures, with sugars available at last paid prices of 3.23c for spots, duty paid, but buyers showing no interest above 3.20c. The only sales reported were 18,000 bags of Philippines to an operator for April-May shipment at 3.38c, and 9450 bags of Cuban from store at 3.23c, and these were concluded late yesterday.

Raw futures opened unchanged to 6 points lower, with the December position showing the maximum loss, owing to liquidation as a result of the circulation of nine December notices. As today is the last trading day for the current December position, there was considerable evening up and exchanging to later deliveries and following the call, prices continued to sag under liquidation and selling by houses with Cuban connections, with the list at midday 9 points lower for the spot month and 3 to 4 points lower for the later deliveries. Other factors mentioned on the decline were the inactivity in the spot market and continued uncertainty over the German situation in connection with the world-wide stabilization plans.

Refined prices were unchanged at 4.55c for fine granulated, with trading light and mostly of a hand-to-mouth character. Prices were quoted at 4.55c for fine granulated by all refiners.

Sugar futures closed easy; approximated sales 50,700 tons. Jan. 1.10-1.11; March 1.19-1.20; May 1.28; July 1.35-1.36; Sept. 1.43; Dec. 1.51.

UTILITIES AND SOME OILS UP ON CURB

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The curb market's utility stocks and some of the oils reflected the Christmas spirit of good cheer today, but other sections of the list did little more than hold steady.

One to two point gains in Electric Bond & Share, American & Foreign Power warrants and United Light "A," however, were about the best the market could muster, although many other trading favorites finished with small fractional advances.

Standard Oil of Kentucky had a brisk spurt in the afternoon, moving up more than 2 points before the sally was checked. It was up about a point net. Vacuum Oil, Cities Service and Gulf were steady to slightly higher.

VEGETABLE MARKET

ST. LOUIS PRODUCE ROW, Dec. 24.—Following are today's vegetable prices:

OLD POTATOES — Colorado russets, $1.90; mcclures, $1.70; Nebraska triumphs, $1.65; Idaho russets, No. 1, $1.75 to $1.90; Minnesota cobblers, $1.60.

NEW POTATOES—Texas 50-lb sacks triumphs, $2.

SWEET POTATOES — Home-grown bu boxed nancy hall, $1 to $1.10; red nansemond, $1 to $1.10; Tennessee bu hampers nancy hall, $1.35.

ANISE PLANTS — Louisiana barrels $3 to $3.50 and crates, $2 to $2.25.

ASPARAGUS—Ohio hothouse, crates $6 to $10.

ARTICHOKES—California, $4 to $5 per box.

AVOCADOS—California lugs, $5.50@7. Florida crates $2.50 to $2.75.

BEETS—Home-grown, 50c per bu box Texas crates, $2.25 to $3.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS—California ½ drums, $3.50 to $6.50.

BROCCOLI—Texas bu baskets, $1.50; and crates, $2 to $3.

CABBAGE—Wisconsin bulk, $17 to $20 per ton; red cabbage, 1¼c per lb; Texas new cabbage, crates, $2.25 to $2.50 and $50 per ton.

CABBAGE SPROUTS—Texas bu baskets, $1.

CARROTS—Home-grown, 40 to 50c per bu box; Texas crates, $2; California crates, $2.25 to $2.50; Ohio 50-lb. sacks, 50c and 100-lb sacks, $1.

CELERY ROOTS—Wisconsin, $7 per barrel

COLLARD GREENS—Louisiana crates, $2, and barrels, $4.

CAULIFLOWER — California crates, $1.50 to $1.75.

CHIVES—Illinois 12-pot boxes, $1.25.

CELERY—Michigan 2-3 crates, $2; California ½ crates $2 to $2.25; full crates, $3.25 and $3.50 to $4.

CUCUMBERS—Boston hothouse, $6 per dozen.

EGGPLANT—Florida 1½-bu crates, $4 @4.50.

ESCAROL—Florida hampers, $1 to $1.25 and romaine, $1.75 to $2.

ENDIVE—Louisiana barrels $3, and crates, large hampers, $1 to $1.25, and crates, $1.75 to $2; imported French, 30c per lb.

GARLIC—California, 8c per lb.

GREEN PEPPERS—Florida 1¼-bushel crates, $2 to $2.75; Texas crates, $1.85 to $2.

GREEN PEAS—Texas hampers, $3; California crates, $5.25.

HORSERADISH — Home-grown No. 1, $2.50 per 100 lbs; No. 2, 75c.

LETTUCE — California iceberg crates, $2.75 to $4; Arizona crates, $3.25 to $4; Ohio leaf, 60c per 10-lb basket.

LIMA BEANS—Texas bu hampers, $5.25 to $5.50

MUSHROOMS—Missouri buttons, 35c, select and No. 1 40c and No. 3 15c per 1-lb. carton.

MUSTARD GREENS—Texas bu baskets, 75c.

ONIONS—50-lb sacks Indiana white, $1.10; Iowa yellow 75c; Ohio white, $1.10 to $1.15; Colorado yellow, 80c to 85c; 100-lb sacks Minnesota red, $1.15 to $1.25.

PARSLEY—Louisiana barrels, $5.50 to $6; Texas bu baskets, $1.75.

PARSNIPS—Home-grown washed, 40c to 65c per bu box.

RADISHES—Texas crates, cherry red, $1.50@1.75, and bu baskets, $1, and tips, $1.50 to $1.75.

RUTABAGAS—$1.25 per 100 pounds.

RHUBARB—California 20-lb boxes, $1.50.

SHALLOTS—Louisiana barrels, $5.50 to $6.

SALSIFY—Home-grown, 25c to 40c per dozen bunches.

SAUERKRAUT—City make, in half barrels, $3; barrels, $5; kegs, $1.15, and casks $8.

SPINACH—Home-grown bu box, 25c; Texas bu baskets, $50c to 80c.

SQUASH—Michigan hubbard squash, 1¼c pound; Florida 1½ bu crates white, $2.25 to $2.50.

STRING BEANS—Florida bushel hampers stringless, $3.25 to $3.75 and bountiful $5.

TOMATOES—Cuban repacked, 6-basket crates, original $4.50 to $5.25 and repacked basket crates, original $5.50 to $5.75. repacked, 3-pan cartons, $3; Texas repacked 4-pan cartons, $2.50 and 6-basket crates, $5; Mexican repacked 6-basket crates, $5.50.

TURNIPS — Home-grown, washed 15c to 20c per doz. bunches and 80c per bu basket, Texas crates, $2.25 to $2.50.

CLEARINGS, MONEY AND SILVER

The St. Louis Clearing House Association reported clearings for Dec. 24, 1930, $18,400,000; corresponding day last year, holiday, this year $6,038,700,000; corresponding period a year ago, holiday. Report of debits for Dec. 23, 1930, were: Debits to individual accounts, $22,900,000; total to date, $8,193,600,000; debits to bank and bankers' accounts, $13,300,000; total to date, $4,635,600,000; combined debits to individual and bankers' accounts, $36,200,000; total to date, $12,829,200,000.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Call money easy, 2 per cent all day. Time loans steady 30-90 days 2½-3; 4-5-6 mos. 2¾-3 per cent prime commercial paper 2¾-3. Bankers acceptances unchanged.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Bar silver, 31⅝.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Clearing House statement: Exchanges, $1,043,000,000; balances, $127,000,000.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—No daily statement was issued today by the Treasury as all Government departments are closed. None will be issued tomorrow. The Federal Reserve statement of brokers loans and condition of Federal Reserve banks will be issued Friday of this week instead of Thursday.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Bar silver, 14⅝d per ounce; money 1½ per cent. Discount rates—Short bills, 2⅝@2¾ per cent; 3 months, 2 5-16 per cent.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Prices moved irregularly on the bourse today.

Three per cent rentes, 85 francs 30 centimes; 5 per cent loan, 101 francs; exchange on London, 123 francs 60 centimes. The dollar was quoted at 25 francs 44¼ centimes.

The bourse will remain closed until Monday, Dec. 29.

COMPARATIVE CAR LOADINGS

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24. — Revenue freight loadings for the week ending Dec. 13 were announced by the American Railway Association today as totaling 744,443 cars.

This was a reduction of 42,730 under the preceding week and a decrease of 178,418 from the corresponding week a year ago.

Miscellaneous freight loadings totaled 262,186 cars, 59,917 under the same week in 1929; merchandise, 219,004, decrease 26,029; coal, 149,150, decrease 60,491; forest products, 34,062, decrease 18,342; ore, 6393, decrease 2475; coke, 8541, decrease 3378; grain and grain products, 39,524, decrease 4471, and livestock, 25,583, decrease 3305.

TURPENTINE, FLAX AND LINSEED

Linseed oil in 1 to 4 barrel lots was quoted at 9.6c per pound for raw and 10c for boiled.

SAVANNAH, Dec. 24.—Turpentine firm 35¾@36; sales 178; receipts 241; shipments 96; stock 24,561. Rosin firm; sales 943; receipts 919; shipments 217; stock 197,755. Quote: B, $3.65; D, $3.80; E, $4; F, $4.05; G, $4.10; H, $4.20; I, $4.25; K, $4.35; M, $4.65; N, $5.10; WG, $6.50; WW, $7.20; X, $7.40.

DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 24.—Flax closed on track $1.53¾@1.55¾; Dec., $1.53¾; May $1.57¾; July, $1.58.

New York Coffee.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Coffee — Spot closed steady; light inquiry. Rio No. 7, 7¼c. Santos No. 4, 10¼c. Rio futures closed steady: approximated sales, 29,000 bags. Dec., 7.13c; March, 5.88c; May, 5.69c; July, 5.55c; Sept., 5.43c. Santos futures closed barely steady; approximated sales, 14,000 bags. Dec., 9.38c; March, 8.97c; May, 8.76c; July, 8.61c; Sept., 8.51c.

Steel Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Steel prices unchanged.

EARNINGS AND DIVIDENDS

Orders, factory productions and other business items, compiled daily by Standard Statistics Co., Inc., New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Outstanding in the day's financial news is the reduction of the New York Federal Reserve Banks rediscount rate from 2½ to 2 per cent. This is the fifth reduction by this bank during the past year and brings the rate to the lowest of any central bank in the world.

Railroad car loadings in the second week of December registered a greater than usual decline from the preceding week. Total of 744,443 cars was 42,730 under the week of previous and the smallest for the period since 1921, decline from 1929 week was 19.4 per cent.

The Companies.

Auburn Auto total sales, nine months to Aug. 31, 12,770 units, sold 23,297 units year 1929.

Alabama Power combined preferred share earnings, 12 months to Nov. 30, $18.55 vs. $21.98.

American Tobacco Co. November Lucky Strike sales up 419,322,000; 11 months gain 5,566,658,000.

American Vitrified Products deficit, year ended Oct. 31, $119,877 vs. net income $250,198, equal to $2.26 in 1929 period.

Anglo-Persian Oil declares 16 cents dividend on A. D. R. for ordinary stock.

Baltimore & Ohio R. R. time to sell Western Maryland stockholdings extended six months from Jan. 13, 1931.

Briggs Manufacturing, 12½c extra and 37½c quarterly dividends; paid 75c July, 1927.

Brooklyn-Manhattan Transit share earnings, five months to Nov. 30, $2.94 vs. $2.57.

Brooklyn & Queens Transit share earnings, five months to Nov. 30, 44c vs. 63c.

Consumers Power net after taxes 11 months to Nov. 30, off 3.2 per cent.

Cleveland Tractor share earnings, year ended Sept. 30, $3.05 vs. $4.41.

General Gas & Electric share earnings, 12 months to Nov. 30, 48c.

Interborough Rapid Transit November deficit after charges and Manhattan 5 per cent rental, $272,022 vs. deficit $122,648; 11 months' deficit, $1,526,939 vs. deficit $730,299.

Loft, Incorporated September quarter share earnings, 4c.

Long Island Railroad share earnings, nine months to Sept. 30, $4.66 to $6.94.

Lehigh Valley Railroad November net operating income up 27.8 per cent; 11 months off 35.4 per cent.

Midwest Refining Co., $14 extra dividend.

Nevada-California Electric share earnings, 12 months to Nov. 30, $1.87 vs. $2.52.

New York Central Railroad contracts for 170,000 tons rail, apportioned between Bethlehem Steel, U. S. Steel and others.

New York, Ontario & Western Railway November net operating deficit $6113 vs. deficit $114,979; 11 months operating income $866,687 vs. $865,563.

Reading Co. November net operating income off 14.3 per cent; 11 months off 20 per cent.

Scott Paper output nine months to Sept. 30, 1,290,000 cases; year 1929 1,541,000.

Selected Industries passes dividends on prior preferred and prior stock allotment certificates; paid $1.37½ and $1.03⅛, respectively, Oct. 1.

Southwest Dairy Products $7 preferred share earnings, six months to Sept. 30, $2.30.

Standard Oil (Indiana) Midwest Refinery, subsidiary, pays $14 extra dividend.

Tri-Utilities Corporation share earnings, 12 months to Sept. 30, $3.42.

U. S. Smelting, Refg. & Mining share earnings, 11 months to Nov. 30, $2.93 vs. $4.67.

Williams Oil-O-Matic Heating deficit, year ended Oct. 31, $321,179 vs. net income $4658, equal to 1 cent earned in 1929.

NEW YORK BANK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Over the counter market bank and trust companies closing bid and asked prices.

SECURITY.	Bid.	Asked
BANKS.		
America	54	57
Bank of U. S.	1¼	3¼
Chase	84¾	87¾
Chatham & Phenix	70	73
Chelsea	3	6
Chemical	43	45
City	86½	89½
Commercial	250	270
First National	3500	3700
Manhattan	76	79
Public	47	50
TRUST COMPANIES.		
Bankers	102	105
Brooklyn Trust	433	443
Central Hanover	210	215
Continental	16	19
Corn Exchange	115	119
Empire	45	48
Guaranty	429	434
Irving	31½	33½
Manufacturers	30	32
New York Trust	138	143

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Foreign exchange quotations were as follows:

ENGLAND—Sterling, demand $4.85⅝; cables, $4.85 13-16; 60-day bills on banks, $4.83¾.

Quotations in cents. D, demand; C, cables.

FRANCE—Franc, D 3.92 15-16, C 3.96 1-16.

ITALY—Lira, D 5.23¼, C 5.23⅜.

BELGIUM—Belga, D 13.97¼.

GERMANY—Mark, D 23.81.

HOLLAND—Florin, D 40.27.

NORWAY—Krone, D 26.74.

SWEDEN—Krone, D 26.82½.

DENMARK—Krone, D 26.73½.

SWITZERLAND—Franc, D 19.42.

SPAIN—Peseta, D 10.64.

GREECE—Drachma, D 1.29¼.

POLAND—Zloty, D 11.25.

CZECHO-SLOVAKIA—Crown, D 2.96 9-16

JUGO-SLAVIA—Crown, D 1.77.

AUSTRIA—Crown, D 14.08.

RUMANIA—Leu, D 0.59¼.

ARGENTINA—Peso, D 32.75.

BRAZIL—Milreis, D 9.70.

TOKIO—Yen, D 49.63.

SHANGHAI—Yen, D 35.25.

MONTREAL—Dollar, D 99.84⅜.

MEXICO CITY—Dollar, D 47.03.

INVESTMENT TRUSTS

By the Associated Press.

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SECURITY	Bid.	Asked
Am & Cont Corp	8	10
All Am Investors A	8¼	8⅞
Am & Gen Secur	14	....
Am & Gen Secur B	1⅜	....
Am & Gen Secur 6 pc pfd	42	....
Amer Brit & Cont 6 pc pf	45	50
Amer Composite Tr Shares	6⅝	7¼
Amer Founders 6 p pf	42	46
Amer Founders 7 p pf	47	....
Amer Founders 1-70th ctfs	4c	7c
Am Founders con pf ctfs	84	....
Amer Founders war	⅛	....
Amer Founders 1-40th com	9c	12c
Amer Ins Stocks	6	10
Amer Util & Gen A	9	11
Amer Util & Gen pfd	16	19
Assoc Stand Oil Shares	7	7½
Atl Sec pfd	33½	37
Atl Sec war	¼	1
Atl & Pac Int Units	18½	21½
Atl & Pac conv	1½	2½
Atl & Pac pfd war	17	19
Bankers Nat Inv	15	....
Bansicilia Corp	6⅛	6½
Basic Industry Shares	5⅞	6⅝
British Type Invest	5¼	6¼
Chain & Gen Equities	1	2½
Chain & Gen Eq 6½ pc pfd	47	52
Chain Store Invest	1	3
Chain Store Invest pfd	50	54
Chain Store Share Owners Inc.	12¾	13⅝
Chartered Invest	12	14
Chartered Invest pfd	75	78
Chelsea Exchange A	....	2
Chelsea Exchange B	....	2
Corporated Trust Shares	5⅝	6⅛
Crum & Foster Ins B	33	37
Crum & Foster Ins pf	98½	100½
Crum & Foster Inc B	39	42
Crum & Foster Inc 8pct pf	105	109
Cumulative Tr Sh	7¼	7⅝
Deposited Bank Sh Se	6⅝	7⅜
Dep Bank Sh Ser B	7⅜	8¼
Diversified Tr Shares A	15¾	16½
Div Tr Shares B	14¼	15¼
Div Tr Shares C	5⅝	6⅛
Equities Inv Cor com	20	....
Equit Inv Corp units	58	....
Federated Cap pf	15¼	17
First Amer Corp	7⅜	7⅞
Fixed Trust Shares A	14¾	....
Fixed Trust Shares B	12¾	....
Funda Tr Shares A	6¾	7¼
Funda Tr Shares B	7	7½
Funda Tr Shares B	7⅝	8⅛
Granger Trade	10	....
Gude Winmill Trad	32½	42½
Incorporated Equities	4	7
Incorporated Investors	34¼	36¾
Independence Tr Shares	4⅜	4⅞
Int Secur Corp Am A	20½	....

SECURITY.	Bid.
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Int Secur Cor Am 6pc pf	87
Int Sec Corp Am 6½pc pf	91
Invest Trust Assn	6½
Investment Tr of N Y	7⅜
Investors Tr Shares	10
Jackson & Curt Inv Asso	36
Jackson & Curtis Sec Cor pfd	95
Leaders of Industry	7⅜
Leaders of Industry B	5⅜
Major Corp Shares	5⅜
Mass Investors Trust	31
Mohawk Invest	42
Mutual Invest Trust A	5⅜
Mutual Manage	....
Nation Wide Secur	6⅜
National Indust Shares	5⅜
N Y Bank & Tr Shares	7⅜
Nor & Sou Am Corp B	
Nor Am Trust Shares	6⅜
Northern Secur	....
Old Colony Invest Trust	8
Old Colony Trust Assn	32
Oil Shares Inc units	22
Petroleum Trad A	10
Power & Light Sec Trust	31
Power & Rail Trustee Shares	8⅜
Pub Serv Tr Shares	6⅜
Research Inv Corp com	22
Research Inv Corp units	60
Secur Corp $6 pfd	80
Second Int Secur Corp A	20⅜
Secur Int Secur Corp B	1⅜
Second Int Secur Cor 6 p 1 p	42
Selected Am Shares	6⅜
Selected Income Shares	6⅜
Shawmut Bank	6
Spencer Trask Fund Inc	23⅜
Stand Amer Trust Shares	6⅜
Stand Collat Trusteed Shares	9⅜
Stand Oil Tr Shares A	7⅜
State Street Invest Corp	63
Super Corp of Am T Shares A	6⅜
Super Corp of Am Tr Shares B	6⅜
Trust Shares of America	5⅜
Trustee Stand Oil Shares A	6⅜
Trustee Stand Oil Shares B	6⅜
Trustee Am Bk Shares	7⅜
20th Century Fixed Tr Shares	6½
Two-Year Tr Shares	19⅜
United Fixed Tr Shares Y	6⅜
United Fdrs 1-70th com	9c
United Ins Trust Shares F	9½
United NY Bk & Tr Shares C	11⅜
United Oil Trust Shares H	5⅜
U S & British Int Co Ltd A	14
U S & British Int Co Ltd B	2
U S & British Int Co Ltd $3 p	42
U S Elec L & P Shares A	27⅜
U S Elec L & P Shares B	6½
Univ Tr Shares	6⅜

BUTTER, EGGS AND POULTRY

ST. LOUIS BUTTER, EGG AND POULTRY EXCHANGE, Dec. 24.—Spring chickens were ½c lower at 20c.

Following quotations are for round lots in first hands:

EGGS—Missouri No. 1, in good cases, 23@23½c; Missouri standards, new cases, 26c; unclassified, including pullet eggs, 17@21c; cases not in shipping order, 1c discount.

BUTTER—Creamery extras, 33c; standards, 30c; firsts, 25c; seconds, 24c; packing stock, No. 1 13c; and No. 2 6@10c.

CHEESE—Northern twins 18@18½c per lb.; singles, 19½c; longhorns, 19c; daisies, 18¼c; prints, 22c; bricks, 19c.

LIVE POULTRY—Fowls, heavy, 16c; fowls, light, 13c; leghorns, hens, 12c; leghorns, under 3 lbs., 10c; spring chickens, 3½ lbs. and under, 20c; spring chickens, heavy, 20c; springs, leghorns, langshangs and orpingtons, 11c; broilers, 2 lbs. and less, 23c; roosters, 12c; leghorn roosters, 11c; No. 2 chickens, 6@8c; turkeys, young hens and toms, 33c; old toms, 22c; No. 2 turkeys, 21c; ducks, 19c; ducks, dark, 14c; geese, 13c; swan geese, 8c; capon slips, 19c; capons, 6 lbs., 20c; 7¼ lbs., 23c; 8 lbs., 26c, and 9 lbs., 28c. Guineas, old, $3; spring guineas, 2 lbs. and over, $6.50, and small, $4.25 per dozen.

DRESSED POULTRY—Hens, light, 14c; hens heavy, 18c; spring chickens, 24c; broilers, 25c; roosters, 14c; turkeys, young, 35c; turkeys, old toms, 23c; turkeys No. 2, 22c; geese, 16c to 18c; ducks, 22c; capon slips, 20c; capons, 6 pounds, 22c; 7 pounds, 25c; 8 pounds, 28c, and 9 pounds, 30c.

FROGS—Jumbo, $4 per dozen; medium, $3.50; small, $2.50.

PIGEONS AND SQUABS—Live pigeons, 75c per dozen; dressed squabs, 40c per lb.; small and dark, 30c.

RABBITS—Per dozen, $1.50.

VEAL—Choice 135-175 lbs., 10½c; 170 lbs. and up 9@10c; rough coarse and underfed, underweight, etc., not wanted and salable only at sharp reduction; sheep, 3c; thin sheep, 1c per lb.; ducks, 2@2½c; spring lambs, 50 lbs. and up, 6½@7½c; poor, 4@5c per lb.

MILK—On the basis of 3.5 per cent butterfat, Sanitary Milk Producers quote milk $2.80 per cwt., delivered in St. Louis and $2.40 at country stations. A St. Louis dairy quoted milk on 3.8 per cent basis at $2.15 delivered in St. Louis and $1.75 at country stations.

Above quotations are for tuberculin-test milk.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Eggs 13,747, irregular, regular packed, mixed colors, extra 34@35c; extra first, 31@33c; first, 27@29c.

Nearby and nearby Western hennery whites, average extra, 33@34c; Pacific Coast whites, shelf treated, extra, 35¾@36c; do, extra first, 34@35c.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Butter, 5502; barely steady, prices unchanged.

Eggs, 3963; setady, prices unchanged.

Egg futures: Refrigerator standards, Jan., 12⅝c. Butter futures: Storage standards, Jan., 26¼@26½c.

HOG MARKET HIGHER AT NATIONA

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Dec. 24 (Department of Agriculture).—Hogs, market 25c to 30c higher; pigs 25c up; sows steady to 10c up; top, buk 120 to 240 lbs., $8.25@8.40; 280 lbs., $8@8.25; better 90 to pigs $7.75@8.35; sows, $6.75@7.

Cattle, 1500; calves, 500; vealers higher; few top medium bulls other classes generally steady; fat $12; range otherwise $7.50@10.75 mixed yearlings and heifers, $8@ cows $4.25@5.25; low cutters $2. top medium bulls, $5.50; good and vealers, $12.25.

Sheep, 750; market steady to 25c er; bulk lambs to packers, $7.50 to top, $8.25; common throwouts, $5 clipped lambs, $8; fat ewes, $3.50

FRUIT MARKET

ST. LOUIS PRODUCE ROW, Dec. Following are today's fruit prices:

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CRANBERRIES—Howes, ¼-bbl. $2.75 to $3.50; ½-barrel crates, $2.50 to $6; Jersey ¼ barrel crates, $2.50 to

BANANAS—4¼c per pound loose, 5¼c per pound in shipping order.

COCOANUTS—$4.50 per 100.

STRAWBERRIES—Florida pints, 50c and quarts, 90c@$1.

GRAPEFRUIT—Florida, $2 to $4 box.

LEMONS—California, $4 to $5.25 box.

KUMQUATS—Florida 32-quart crates to $3.50.

LIMES—Mexican $1.75 to $2 per

ORANGES—California navels, $7.50; Florida, $2 to $3 per box, gerines, Florida, ½ boxes, $1.50 to

Holiday Decorations.

Jobbing sales: Christmas trees, $2; large church and school trees er, according to size; standard crates nessee holly, $3; Delaware holly $1.75 per dozen.

Exchange Seats $200,000.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Arrangements were made today for sale of two New York Stock Exchange memberships at $200 each, a decrease of $10,000 the previous sale.

SOUND INVESTMENTS
Smith, Moore & Co.
509 Olive St.

THEODORE GARY AND COMPANY
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI
Ninetieth Consecutive Quarterly Dividend
The regular quarterly dividend for quarter ending December 31, 1930 of 40c per share on the No Par Preferred Stock has been declared payable January 1, 1931 to stockholders of record as of the 15th day of December, 1930 at 3 P. M. The usual dividend on the Common Stock has been declared payable January 1, 1931 to stockholders of record as of the 31st day of December, 1930.
(Signed) C. A. BENNETT,
Senior Vice-President and Treasurer.
December 10, 1930

Reinvestment Plans
—should form as important a part of your investment policy as do original commitments.
When you begin to place the funds distributed to you on January first, we will be pleased to render service in the execution of market or "over the counter" orders, and to furnish information as to the investment status of contemplated purchases.
Knight, Dysart & Gamble
Members
New York Stock Exchange
New York Curb (Associate)
St. Louis Stock Exchange
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401 Olive
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The latter carrier, these days, is a bundle comment how willingly the mail men go

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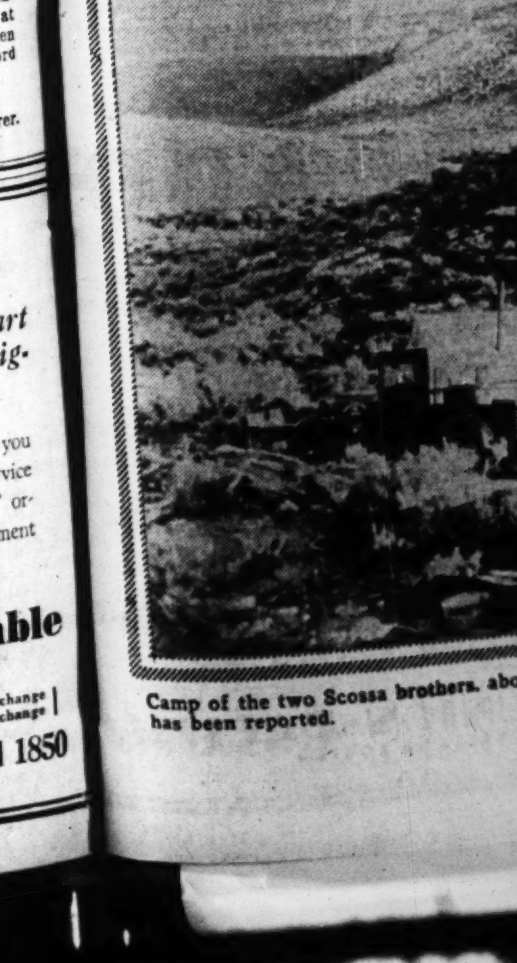

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war	⅛	....
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Shares	7	7½
	33½	37
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Units	18½	21½
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war	17	19
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	6⅛	6½
Shares	5⅞	6⅝
est	5¼	6¼
uities	1	2½
6½ pc pfd	47	52
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e Owners Inc	12¾	13⅜
	12	14
pfd	75	78
e A	....	2
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Shares	5⅝	6⅛
Ins B	33	37
Ins pf	98½	100½
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Shawmut Bank	6
Spencer Trask Fun Inc	23½
Stand Amer Trust Shares	6⅝
Stand Collat Trusteed Shares	9¼
Stand Oil Tr Shares A	7¼
State Street Invest Corp	63
Super Corp of Am T Shares A	6¾
Super Corp of Am Tr Shares B	6½
Trust Shares of America	5⅞
Trustee Stand Oil Shares A	6¼
Trustee Stand Oil Shares B	6¾
Trustee Am Bk Shares	7⅛
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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1930.

THE LAST-MINUTE RUSH IN ST. LOUIS TO COMPLETE CHRISTMAS DUTIES

INSURE PARCELS HERE
WEIGH PARCELS HERE

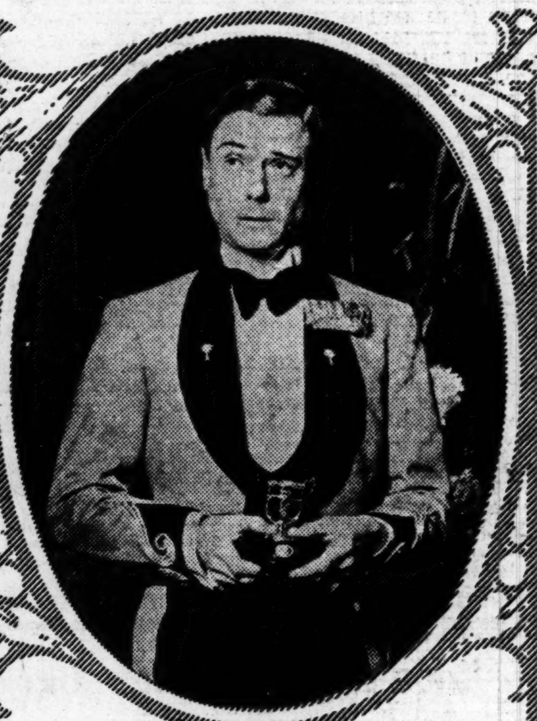
In the main corridor of the downtown post office, where tables were placed with clerks and weighing machines to assist those who had packages to send through the mails.
—By Post-Dispatch staff photographer.

PARKING
WITHIN 6 FEET
OF
U.S. MAIL BOX
SUBJECT TO
PROSECUTION

Waiting for the next car. The absence of parked autos in the downtown section aided in street car transportation, but even with this advantage policemen were busy keeping vehicles moving.
—By Post-Dispatch staff photographer

HE EXPECTED IT, ANYWAY

The letter carrier, these days, is a bundle carrier. It is a matter of comment how willingly the mail men go through with their tasks.
—By Post-Dispatch staff photographer



PRINCE'S DANCING UNIFORM

Heir to British throne as he was attired at party given by a London regiment when he was the partner of wives and sweethearts of officers.

SANTA NOT BALKED BY FIRE

Employes of the Goodwill Industries at a Christmas party given by the Women's Auxiliary. The above group were among those deprived of work by fire which destroyed the Goodwill factory last week.

REACHES AMERICAN SOIL

Mrs. Victor Bruce, English aviator, who has been making an around-the-world flight, lands in Seattle. She crossed the Pacific to Vancouver by boat, but flew across Europe and Asia from London.

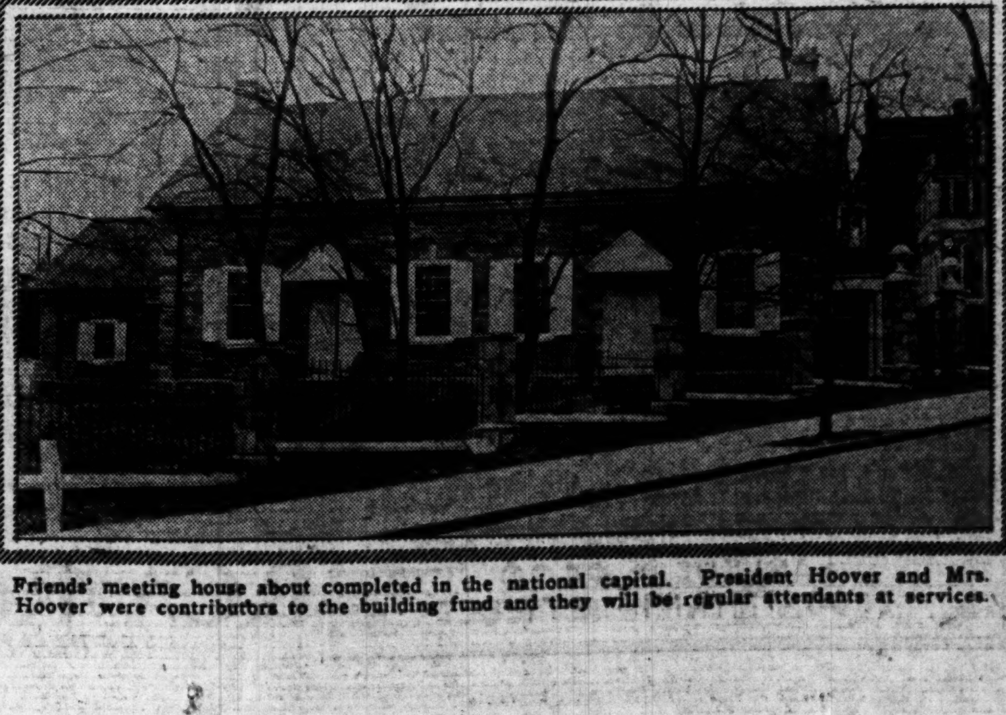
CANNON FACES CHARGES

Richard M. Cannon, son of Bishop James R. Cannon, who will answer charges in Los Angeles on Dec. 26 concerning the issuance of bad checks. He says he is being "framed."

SCENE OF ANOTHER GOLD STRIKE

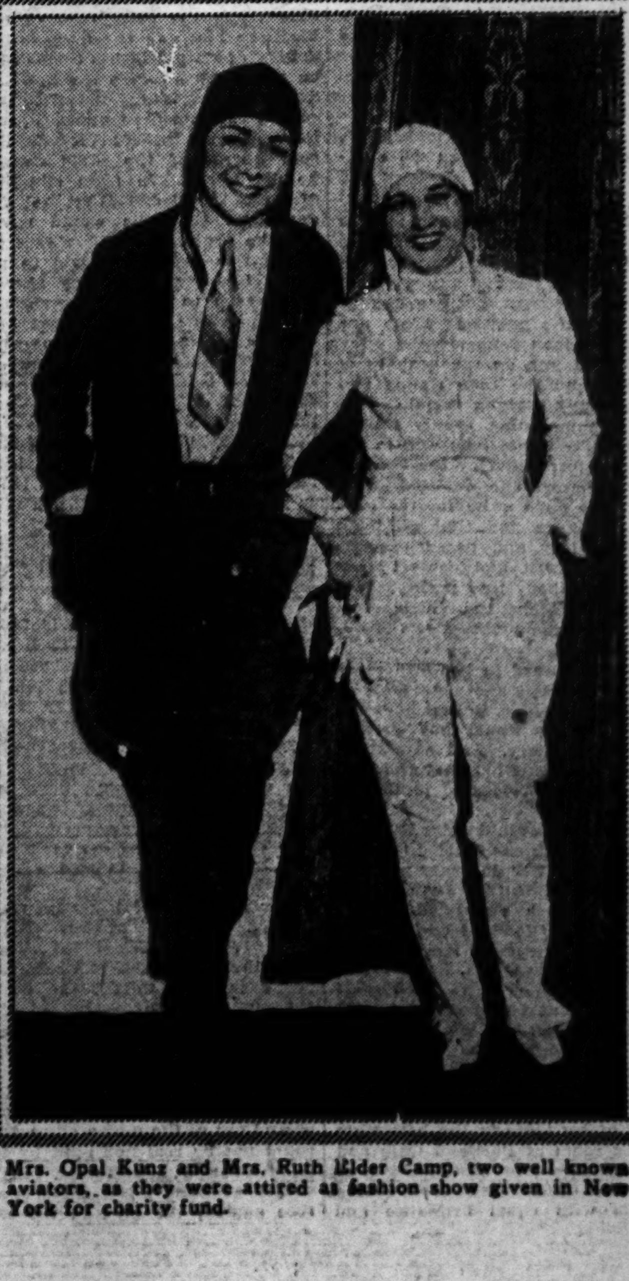
Camp of the two Scossa brothers, about 90 miles from Reno, Nev., where a find of precious metal has been reported.

NEW QUAKER CHURCH IN WASHINGTON



Friends' meeting house about completed in the national capital. President Hoover and Mrs. Hoover were contributors to the building fund and they will be regular attendants at services.

FASHIONS FOR FEMININE FLYERS



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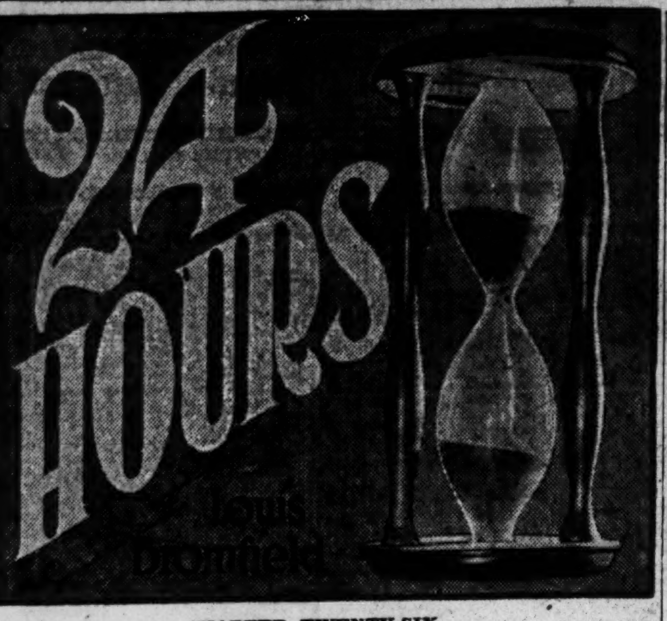

CHAPTER TWENTY-SIX

FROM the moment Nancy Champion was born, power and wealth and influence had conspired to make life easy and luxurious. When she desired a thing she had only to ask for it because there was always money with which to buy what she wanted or friends who had power when money was of no avail. And the Champions as a family had always understood the only value which money has; they used it to make life simpler by bribing and by buying away difficulties and irritations.

As Nancy grew out of childhood she had discovered slowly that she was charming and beautiful and that in her charm and her beauty she possessed a weapon quite as powerful as wealth or influence, and being a spoiled woman she had never been too scrupulous in using any weapon. The only law which she recognized was the law of her own desire.

At 60, when her beauty had faded and her charm and vivacity were tainted by a corroding bitterness because she had, like any plain stupid woman, to fade and turn old and at last to die, she remained luxurious and spoiled.

She did not even travel like other women. She returned from her exile, after 25 years, traveling in state as royalty once traveled and millionaires now travel. Because her husband was rich and powerful, the two of them shared what was known as the Royal Suite, with two bedrooms, two sitting rooms and two baths on the most splendid of sea-going hotels.

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AS the ship steamed slowly up the channel in the brilliant winter sunlight, she rose late and lingered in her bath and over her toilet, taking great care with herself, polishing her nails and regarding her make-up minutely, making certain that the dye in her hair did not betray itself where the hair was parted on the side. After many experiments it had turned a beautiful and lustrous red, which agreed marvelously with the whiteness of her skin and the blueness of her eyes and by its very look of artificiality gave her a piquancy which she had lacked before.

As she sat regarding herself in the mirror of the dressing table, it struck her as extraordinary that there were really no wrinkles in her face. Her skin was smooth and soft and white like the skin of a young girl. Her hair was young and alive, and her figure firm and slender.

She was the perfect product of the most expensive masseurs and beauty specialists. She had done strange exercises and been massaged and had operations, and used the most absurd artificialities, always toward the same end—that she might remain young and so beautiful that when she entered a room people were instantly aware of her presence, and she had concentrated upon this one end for so long that it was only the shell of herself which now had any reality for her. The core, the heart, the soul no longer existed. She never saw that there was something bordering upon repulsion in a creature who looked like a young girl and was an old woman.

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IT had been years now since she had known any relaxation. She had lain in the sun, not because she got from the sun any sensuous animal enjoyment, but because the sun kept the muscles firm and made one look young.

She had lain on the beaches of Biarritz and the Lido rigidly and thoughtfully making certain that she was becoming evenly tanned so that she would look well in the evening, tormented by the thought that although she detested cold water she must swim for the sake of her figure and that although she was lazy and hated exercise she must twist and contort her poor, tired body into position that would reduce the hips and strengthen the muscles of the abdomen.

And afterward in her own room she had to spend another hour with lotions and creams so that her skin, while tanned, would not become dry and leathery. And now at 60 when people saw her they thought, "What a marvelously preserved woman of 50!"

She did not even deceive her husband, although she fancied that he, too, thought her 15 years younger than her age. But Sir John had no illusions. He had married her because he was fond of her and because her hopelessly feminine absurdities amused him, but most of all because when he found himself a widower at 60, she was exactly what he desired as a wife. . . . It was not love that he wanted any longer, but the affection and companionship of an amusing woman and a wife who could sit at the head of his table in the handsome dining room at Portland Gate and entertain the most distinguished or the most shady or the most boring guests with equal brilliance and charm and a handsome woman who would ornament his house and add luster to the closing days of his career.

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HE had had his love when he was young and vigorous with a wife who was all that Nancy was not, a wife who had been plain and a little dowdy, comfortable and understanding and selfless; who had borne him five children and lived only to make him comfortable and happy and successful.

He had been full of life. Born of a poor country family, he had made himself immensely rich and with the next honors he knew that he would be Lord Elsmore of Crawley.

She was still sitting at the dressing-table when Sir John knocked and came in. He was a big heavy man with a deep hearty voice, a friendly manner and small, shrewd blue eyes, dressed carefully and immaculately in dark tweeds. He wore on one hand a heavy gold ring set with an onyx Assyrian seal that had been brought up by a crew of his oil drillers from the depths of Mesopotamian clay. He looked pink faced and healthy and he smiled at her.

"Well, my dear, are you ready for the return to the Promised Land? I've a wireless for you. It just came."

"I suppose it is from Hector."

She tore it open and read it and handed it to him. It said:

"Regret too ill to meet boat. Will telephone Hotel, Savina, Jerrold wants you for tea. Love. Hector."

She looked at Sir John and smiled. The telegram needed no explanation for he knew all about Hector. She had even warned him that he must not be upset by Hector's unpleasant manner. He knew that she had not seen him in 25 years.

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SHE said, "He's being cold, but at least he's answered me."

For a moment she was living in the past, seeing Patrick again, black-haired and charming and carefree, with a wicked talent for enjoying himself that infected others and destroyed all sense of morality and respectability. She was thinking how she had fallen in love with him at Newport, before her poor sister Mary was dead, and how she had never dared let him know how she felt and she was remembering his tenderness and wild good humor and his embraces and the excitement of being near him and the intoxicating delight of simply sitting beside him on the terrace before the hotel in Switzerland, drinking chocolate and looking out over the mountains, and then she remembered slowly the cold horror of the night when he did not return from climbing and the knowledge that he was dead and that she would never see him again.

She was suddenly afraid to return. She wanted to stay aboard and return to London which had no memories that could hurt her, because all the others who came after Patrick had left no scars.

She smiled thinking that she could not do without him and that she had always been one of those women who could not live without men. And she had been lucky, now when she was no longer young, to have attracted a man like John.

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EVER since they had left Southampton she had been plotting how she might be alone when they came in sight of New York, because New York and Patrick Dantry had become blended during the years into a single memory. In all her hardness and disillusionment this memory was the only soft spot which remained. She wanted to come up the channel alone and have her first glimpse of New York unmarred by the presence of John, who shared none of her memories and had no place in that distant past.

For the sake of her figure she set out to do 10 rounds of the deck. As the mist lifted slowly from the dark water she saw glittering in the sunlight the snow-covered shores of Staten Island with its queer, old-fashioned wooden houses and all at once she knew that she was in America again.

And then suddenly, as if a veil of gauze had been lifted there appeared out of the mist a city which could not be real nor built by the hand of man. Glittering in the winter sunlight tower after tower rose against the blue of the sky. It was not a city but a single enchanted castle, the fortress of a sorcerer, a city out of the Arabian nights like the city in the Tale of the Fisherman. From each tower there drifted a little plume of white steam. She began suddenly to cry. And this city, she saw suddenly, was like Patrick—dazzling, beautiful, audacious and overpowering.

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WHEN he saw that she had been crying he quietly slipped his arm about her waist and said abruptly, "There, my dear, don't take it so hard."

She felt ashamed before John and said, "I'm sorry. I can't help it. Parades of soldiers and military music and ships always make me cry. I feel the same way now."

The gangplanks slipped down. Trunks began to slide down chutes and other trunks and great wooden cases and sacks of mail to appear in great baskets of rope out of the depths of the ship.

Sir John's secretary appeared and said, "Mr. Melbourn is on board looking for you, sir," and as they turned to descend, Melbourn himself appeared.

He was dressed in dark clothes with a derby and looked big and hard and powerful. It struck her as Melbourn came toward her that he was more attractive than she had remembered and she began to grow excited and a little coquettish as women always did when he came into a room.

He was saying, "I've brought my car to take you to the ho'el. Everything's been arranged about the landing. I hope you'll have lunch with me and afterward Sir John and I will leave you and get down to our pressing business. Tomorrow night when you've rested a little, I'm giving a dinner for you."

After John had collected the things she had forgotten in the cabin they went down the gangplank accompanied by Melbourn and two secretaries and went through the pier shed to the street where Melbourn's motor was awaiting them.

In the doorway stood an old man with newspapers under his arm and at sight of him Nancy said suddenly, "Oh, buy me a paper," and Melbourn bought one of the papers and gave it to her.

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INSIDE the motor, settled comfortably in the deep cushions, she took up the paper and looked at it. There was a picture of a woman sitting on a table with her knees crossed which covered the whole first page and above a headline which read, Famous Night Club Singer Strangled in Exclusive Murray Hill Love Nest. (Story on second page.) She thought, "Murray Hill is where I once lived and where Savina lives," and it seemed to her that the place had been in some vague way desecrated.

Melbourn was looking at her and grinning, "all our papers," he said, "aren't as bad as that. Some of them are almost civilized."

And she saw suddenly that he was thinking of her not as someone who belonged to this city but as a foreigner who had never seen it before. It was his city now and she was a stranger.

Continued Friday.
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MARBLE MANSION WRECKS TOM MIX'S ROMANCE

Movie Cowboy and His Pals Slipped on the Polished Floors of Great House That His Wife Built and Filled With Her Top-Hat Friends.

Tom Mix in the old days . . . just a happy buckaroo.

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 22.

THE Tom Mix mansion in Beverly Hills is for sale. Tom doesn't want it, never did want it, and his wife, Victoria, who filed suit for divorce on Dec. 11, is through. The house, with its marble halls, is one of the reefs which tended to scuttle the Mixes' ship of matrimony.

Tom practically was living in a tent when he and Victoria Forde, herself a motion picture actress, were married, 12 years ago. They lived in a two-room house at Newhall, a suburb of Los Angeles, while making Westerns.

He was earning $100 a week and getting $25 extra for writing his own stories. Then came fame and fortune—and unhappiness. Victoria wanted a mansion rivaling any in all the Hollywood hills, and Tom built it, at the cost of a million. There was a butler, as stolid and stiff as a statue; a first cook and second cook and servants for all work. There was a swimming pool nearly a half block long, tennis courts, flower gardens, and well-stocked cellar. There was a yacht at anchor in the bay and money piling in in a golden flood.

"I don't need this estate to make me happy," Tom said then. "I don't need yachts. I don't need $75,000 worth of automobiles. I can be happy with a good horse, a saddle and bridle and a tent. Every time I go in the house my boots skid from under me and I land on my neck. 'Go on and laugh,' I said to the butler one day when I noticed him with his hands over his mouth. I was getting up from the floor. 'I'm just trying to be entertaining,' I said."

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WITH the mansion built and equipped, Mrs. Mix started to entertain. And then the trouble began.

"She entertained a set that I could not and would not make my friends," the former cow-puncher recently said. "I know they hated me and I did not like them. I tried to be a good fellow and play nothing but host, but I got nervous indigestion for my efforts. So, when they came to my house, I would be absent.

"Her friends came to enjoy my swimming pool, to use my tennis courts, to eat whatever there was and to drink whatever there was and all they left behind was cigarette stubs and empty bottles. I have entertained but few of my own friends in my own home.

"I could have stood it all and flattered the beautiful women and kissed their hands as other men do but it is not in my make-up. I can't be a hypocrite. Naturally, our differences brought quarrels and long discussions about the subject. Right then we made a property agreement and Mrs. Mix went abroad."

Friends in the motion picture colony today are recalling the climax of the Mix parties which culminated three or four years ago. Tom came home one day in January, they say, to be greeted by Victoria with: "Tom, dear, I've decided to give you a party on your birthday.

"Is zat zo?" replied Tom. "That would be fine. Go to it."

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SO the arrangements were made, the tables set, invitations were given by telephone, and when Tom arrived at home the party had gathered.

But what a party! The guests were Mrs. Mix's "bridge hounds." Not a cowpuncher or buckaroo in the whole lot.

"Glad to meetcha," said Mix, a bit weakly. He sat around for a while, but when opportunity came fled the room.

Tom didn't have much to say about the party, but secretly he was hurt. Along in April, just a few months later, in an apparent burst of generosity, he announced to Victoria that it was his time to give her a birthday party and asked for a list of all her friends. He'd make it a "swell round-up." It would be a party she would remember the balance of her life. So again the tables were set and invitations issued. Mrs. Mix dolled up in her prettiest gown and made ready.

Presently a battered flivver rolled up the driveway and died with a heavy gasp in the parking place. There were men's voices which probably struck fear in Mrs. Mix's heart. Somewhere she had heard them before. When the butler opened the door in stalked Texas Smith and Buster Gardner, two of the best cow punchers that ever twirled a rope at a steer or straddled a bucking broncho. All dressed up they were in store clothes and broadening smiles. Another ding of the doorbell and there stood Colorado Cotton, ready to join in the round-up. Before long cow hands from Arizona, Wyoming and Texas, with stable boys and horse cuffers from studio corrals, arrived in numbers. Mrs. Mix's party was ready to start.

Tom wore a silk hat . . . but skidded on the polished floors of his mansion.

Mrs. Victoria Mix . . . failed to win Tom away from his cowboy pals.

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"SHE tried to be valiant," one of the "guests" pointed out today. "She stuck it out for a little while but when no one was watching, fled to her room. A good time was had by all—except Mrs. Victoria Mix. Somehow or other she didn't seem to enjoy the affair."

Separation after separation followed these parties. Mrs. Mix sought a divorce in Paris in 1928 but was unable to get court action. The Attorney-General's office in that city sent Mix a series of questions, or, rather, admissions for him to sign, which would have given Mrs. Mix legal grounds for a French divorce. In refusing to sign these admissions, Mix wrote:

"I am a native born American citizen. For nearly a score of years I have been a taxpayer and voter in the State of California where I reside. Up to the present time, no foreign power directly or indirectly has ever exercised or attempted to exercise a control over my affairs, personal or impersonal."

And that ended that.

WHITE ACCESSORIES ARE SMART

By MARGERY TAYLOR

IT'S going to be a white Christmas this year even if it doesn't snow; it will be white indoors.

Fashion in decoration seems to have gone quite white. Perhaps we are a little fatigued by the breathless rush of color we have been having in everything from dishpans and mops to tablecloths and clocks. At any rate, white is certainly the fashion note at this year's end.

The smart gift, therefore, will be white. And there's one thing comforting about a white gift; you may be sure that it will "go" with any color in the recipient's home.

Of course, white doesn't have to be white as that over-driven "driven snow." It may have the palest shadow of purple, almost too delicate to be certain about; it may have that grayish cast called oyster, or it may glow with the warm ivory of old satin.

Alabaster—in the form of urn-shaped lamps—seems to appeal strongly among the smart new white accessories. On the dressing table, for instance, the small lamps with silk shades looped with crystal beads are distinctly feminine. And even in more masculine settings, against stronger colors, alabaster strikes the right note with any of the popular colors of the day—turquoise, cherry, brown, black and gold.

And there are the proper white accessories for each period. The colonial room may be enlivened with white Staffordshire dogs or prim Dresden figurines. Eighteenth century rooms may gain the right detail of distinction in a piece of fascinating Chinese carved ivory—box or ash-tray or whatever it may be.

For the table setting, white is again chic—but not the old unimaginative white. Now the white table has life and sparkle as well as dignity, even if it is all white. A snowy damask cloth, for instance, set with clear crystal glasses, creamy Wedgewood and a centerpiece of porcelain figures—a modern way of using white.

Another Situation Saved.

Have you ever made the filling for croquettes too soft to mold nicely and you have had to use it for hash? Next time moisten one teaspoon of gelatine with cold water and dissolve in a little hot water. Add this to the croquette mixture and place it in the refrigerator. It will thicken it enough to mold nicely.

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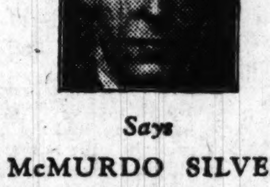

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n all of the author's contacts h the world of Hindu religion, avoids entirely the usual ob- and superior attitude of the tish Army officer. Coming to gurus as a humble student, he more of their tricks and mys- es than the usual race-conscious nial could discover in three in- nations.

talking with the superintend- of the Temple of Juggernaut, author found out some interest- things about what is generally sidered a highly depraved re- n.

he famous erotic frescoes at the k Temple of Konarak, said superintendent, grew out of a ool of psychology, centuries old, t very closely resembled the dern teachings of Freud. These tures, which have caused more n one tourist to blush into his de book, were supposed to bring from the unconscious the dan- usly repressed desires of the hful.

HE creed of Juggernaut, according to this explanation, inculcates first knowledge and self-control. The outer hall its chief temple is lined with ues and frescoes of a highly k and disturbing nature. If a shiper becomes too greatly affected by them, he must go out and until he has regained serenity.

nce the pilgrim has successfully passed these specimens of ing art, he must cross a great in which living dancing girls ray the subtle rhythms of crea- . Not until he has acquired rol enough to walk among distractions with a serene does he dare to come in to presence of the god.

ome of the most interesting ons of the book touch upon author's experiences with the science of breath control. To Hindu holy men these exercises the doorway to the mystic es that lie beyond our world ense.

en Western medical science its that the yoga forms of thing can swing one up into visions, although this phe- nenon is usually explained as a ium due to oxygen starvation.

Yeats-Brown does not admit starvation theory. While prac- g yoga during the leisure af- ed a prisoner of war, he found through rapid breathing it possible to achieve a type of drunkenness in which one hed immoderately and rolled the ground. This ought to de- p into a popular Scotch form ntoxication.

he author suggests that the exercises, discreetly used, can f great benefit to the harried dental city dweller. By prac- g these forms of breathing, he detach himself from his daily ssments and float for a time e lotus pools of peace.

RING a period of unemployment there are always a number of smug, fur-coated souls say that anybody who really s work can find it and that jobless part of the population erely lazy and unenterprising. h citizens are referred to "Some Folks Won't Work," by h Calkins. I might add that, te the suggestion conveyed by name, Clinch Calkins is not a essional boxer. She happens to an eminent student of social k who has conducted investiga- s of her subject all the way n Atlanta to Salt Lake City.

n this volume she presents hun- ds of case histories. They help how the fallacy of the idea that mployment is usually the result willful desire to be idle. There accounts, for instance, of men se legs were frozen during all- t waiting in the snowy fields ide the automobile plants of roit.

ne hardly needs a book, how- to find accounts of desperate mmages for work. In almost morning paper one can dis- r stories of men and women g for a chance to labor 10 a day at a wage that would ely provide proper fare for a

sides, in both good years and men are thrown out of work ew processes and changes in on. When cut-glass wedding nts went out of date, thou- of skilled workers were n on the labor market. The al of snug-fitting felt hats sent numbers of wire frame mak- t into a wageless world. The tion of the electric refrigera- hrew ice-men with small busi- s of their own into the ranks skilled labor.

s Calkins' book makes plain the most trying factor in a er's life is his sense of insecur- One man stated that he would work all the rest of his life only $5 a day if he could be sure of not having to face any lack of employment.

If this feeling of insecurity is to be overcome, workers must have old age pensions and adequate unemployment insurance. I'm hoping that something of the sort will be prepared before the next industrial crisis.

However, I'm not at all confident. When the wine of prosperity begins to flow again people will cheerfully forget to provide for the morning after.

The clothing industry has a strangely farsighted way of looking at the seasons. Here the last of the russet and burnished gold has hardly faded from the woodlands, and already in the department stores one hears the elfin foot of spring.

A few days ago I went into a large emporium and vainly tried to buy a brown wool dress. "It's too late for wools," protested the salesgirl. Feebly I tried to call her attention to the sharp-pointed tang in the outside air, and I also attempted to indicate that winter, not spring, is the season that customarily follows autumn.

"But it's really too late for wools!" she repeated. "We sell most of our woolen dresses in August and September. From now on it will be all silks, satins and chiffons."

HOLIDAY CUSTOMS of Many Lands SURVIVE HERE

Bebe and Lily Budrovich in the costumes of their native Jugo-Slavia.

Top: Three happy Italian girls, Mary Ragni, Edith Rizzi and Teresa Ceselin. Below: Swedish girls in national costume. From left, Charlotte Sundling, Mary Rosvall and Florence Rosvall.

Bessie Milosevich in Serbian garb.

TRADITIONAL Christmas customs of many lands, mellowed by the march of the years, meet in St. Louis Christmas eve.

True, the ceremonies of numerous nationalities blend in the usual Yuletide observance in the United States, but there are some families in St. Louis who cling to the Old World celebration of the day.

And the sentiment of the season, shared by those of the younger generation who have seen distant shores only through the tales of their grandparents, was crystallized Sunday in the annual festival of the International Institute of St. Louis. Scores of youths, and old folks, too, of virtually every nationality represented in St. Louis, enacted the Christmas eve festivities of far-off lands.

Some of their costumes, gay in flashing colors, were sewn and broidered by patient hands which work no more in this world. Others were made here in faithful adherence to the habiliments which have been worn for centuries in other lands. There were those in the audience, which filled the auditorium of Soldan High School, who had spent their best years across the seas and to whom the scenes brought back other days and other ways.

The world-wide recognition of the spirit of the season bridged the gap of diverse languages and the international language of rythm lent zest to the singing and dancing which formed a part of many of the presentations, all of them part of the folk lore of the ages.

THE Italians, for instance, portrayed the festivities in homes of Italy prior to the solemn hour when the chimes herald the birth of Christ and all merriment ceases as everyone kneels and sings praises to the new born King.

The big meal of the season is eaten on Christmas eve in Italy, with the principal dish a large species of eel. Jerusalem artichokes cooked with eggs is another favorite dish. One of the Christmas eve ceremonies consists of the lighting of the Yule log, which takes the place of the Christmas tree and Santa Claus. Before the log is lighted, the children are gathered round the ireplace and blindfolded. Each child recites a verse to the Christ Child. Then the blindfolds are removed and each youngster finds before him a pile of gifts, which he is told the Christ Child has brought. Although Christmas eve is a time of merrymaking a manger, usually home made, is prepared in every home nine days before Christmas and each morning the family assembles before it and recites special prayers.

The Polish depiction of Christmas eve showed the traditional "Vigilja" supper, which begins when the first star appears in the sky. Consecrated wafers are distributed and each one shares his wafer, at the same time wishing health and prosperity during the coming year. If an uneven number sit down at the table, as enacted by the Paderewski Singing Society, a stranger is invited in. Later, the girls tell fortunes by means of straws under the tablecloth. The one who finds an unthreshed piece of grain, tradition tells, will be married soon—and happily.

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CAROLS which have resounded from churches, castles and cottages of Russia for centuries before civil conflict raised its head were sung by the choir of St. Michael the Archangel, the Russian Orthodox Church.

St. Louis Greeks, depicted the conversion of the pagan Athenians to the Christian religion, instead of their Christmas celebration which is similar to that conducted in this country.

Merry folk dances about the Christmas tree mark Christmas eve in Swedish homes. Santa Claus in Sweden is "Jultomten," who brings his gifts into the house.

The Jugo-Slav Christmas, or "Badjnak tree," as depicted Sunday by the Jugo-Slav Singing Society, is broken up when it is brought into the house. Branches are decorated with ribbons in the national colors, while the main part of the tree is laid on the fire, where it must burn the night through.

The head of the family brings a bunch of straw to his wife and they wish each other a happy "Badjnak" day. Then she scatters the straw on the floor, imitating the clucking of a hen while the children dodge about like little chickens. On Christmas morning the visitor breaks off a small branch of the tree and greets the head of the house with the words, "Christ Is Born." All reply, "In Truth He Is Born" as the visitor strikes the burning tree with his branch and extends Christmas wishes.

Groups of gayly dressed children spend Christmas eve in Hungary going about the streets singing carols. The children, known as "the Bethlehemers," visit each home during the evening.

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ALTHOUGH time did not permit the enactment of the Christmas customs of every nationality represented in St. Louis the ceremonies of additional nations were depicted in previous festivals and there were many in the audience to whom Christmas represents a different setting than the rush and bustle of modern St. Louis.

In Mexico a pottery jar, or hollow figure, filled with gifts takes the place of the Christmas tree in this country. As the climax to a merry family gathering, Mexican children shatter the jar or "Pinata" and scramble for the gifts as it breaks.

French children, who anticipate the coming of "Le Petit Noel" for weeks before Christmas put wooden shoes by their fireplaces to be filled with toys, instead of hanging up their stockings.

Some German youngsters, too, put out shoes instead of hanging up stockings. Roast goose or duck is the traditional dish there on Christmas while the Christmas tree, which originated in Germany, is an important part of the celebration.

But north and south, east and west, the kindly spirit of the Yuletide exists, affecting the most modern celebration in St. Louis as well as some of the traditional customs of the old world.

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TOMORROW morning the German will say, "Froehliche Weihnachten"; the Hungarian, "Boldog Karacsonyi Unnepeket"; the Italian, "Buon Natale"; the Lithuanian, "Linksmu Kaledy"; the Pole, "Weselych Swiat Bozego Narodzenia" the Dane, "Glaedelig Jul"; the Frenchman, "Joyeux Noel"; and our neighbor, the Mexican, "Feliz Noche Buena."

All of which means the same thing in any language and corresponds to the St. Louisan's:—

"Merry Christmas!"

DAILY STORY FOR CHILDREN

By Mary Graham Bonner

Starting Off

THE Little Black Clock was waiting for John and Peggy.

"I've turned the time back a little," he said, "so we can see our dear friend Santa Claus as he starts off. Then I must get you back in plenty of time too! Have you both hung up your stockings?"

"Yes," shouted John and Peggy together.

The Little Black Clock had arranged that another sleigh should come for them and they made their way so quickly over the country until they came to the marvelous, cheery place up North where Santa lived.

Everything was so exciting up there. The reindeer were jingling their bells. The huge sleigh was in readiness—and it was the largest sleigh they had ever seen. Santa used a very special sleigh for Christmas eve.

Santa was so excited. He had taken down the great lists with the names of the children and what they wanted written by their names, and was now marking them off as he saw that the presents were put inside the sleigh.

"My, but you've got a deep, deep, wide sleigh." John exclaimed as more and more toys were piled into it.

"I need it all right!" Santa chuckled.

"I am afraid we must leave now," said the Little Black Clock.

"Merry Christmas!" Santa said to John and patted him on the back. "You're a fine boy," he added.

"And you're a dear, a perfect dear," he told Peggy as he kissed her, and she put her arms around Santa and gave him a hug.

He wished the Little Black Clock a Merry Christmas, too, and then they were off—just a little before Santa was going to start.

"Santa called me a dear," Peggy kept repeating, and John kept saying:

"That's right! You are. And he said I was a fine boy."

Peggy agreed, every time John said this, that it was quite, quite true, and then they wished the Clock a Merry Christmas as they arrived home. Soon they were in their beds.

The Black Bottom.

After the maid has left and you go into the kitchen to find all your aluminum pans with black bottoms, don't be discouraged, but set them in a shalow pan in which a teaspoon of soda has been dissolved in a little water. Then heat the water to the boiling point and let simmer for a few minutes. They will clean up very readily.

When to Weigh Baby

WEIGHING the baby is an important part of his care. It is a guide to the physical development of the child.

During the first six months an infant should be weighed every week and if he is a normal, healthy child he will gain from four to eight ounces a week. From six to 12 months he should be weighed at least every two weeks and during this period the gain in weight is less, usually from two to four ounces a week.

The average healthy infant will double its weight at birth when he reaches five months and by the time he reaches his first birthday he will treble his birth weight.

During the second year a child should be weighed once a month. The gain in weight is not continuous after the first year. There are many interruptions, but as long as there is no loss in weight there is no cause for alarm. For instance, during the teething periods there may be no gain in weight for two or three weeks. When the weight remains at a standstill for long period the matter requires attention.

To weigh the baby undress it completely. It is best to do this before giving the bath. Place a soft cloth in the scales and lay the baby upon this, or if the room is cool use a blanket and fold it over the child. After removing the baby weigh the blanket or cloth and deduct this amount from the first weight.

Keep a record of the baby's weight from week to week for reference.

When weighing an infant before and after measuring to learn the amount of food he is receiving it is not necessary to undress him; just weigh him both times in the same clothing.

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A Practice Board.

It is well to keep the youngster's blackboard in the kitchen. Mother almost always spends the hour before dinner here and Sonny could get most of his lessons done at this time with Mother on hand to help with the more difficult work.

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ST. LOUIS AMUSEMENT CO.
CIRCUIT OF THEATRES

LINDELL Grand and Hebert — DOUBLE PROGRAM AT BOTH THEATERS — W. END LYRIC Delmar & Euclid
NORMA TALMADGE in "A WOMAN OF PASSION." AND THE GORILLA HARRY GRIBBON—LILA LEE
WEST END LYRIC ONLY—Doors Open 6:00. First Show at 6:30 P. M.

GRANADA 4533 Gravois — DOUBLE PROGRAM AT BOTH THEATERS — SHENANDOAH Grand and Shenandoah
NORMA TALMADGE in "A WOMAN OF PASSION." AND THE GORILLA HARRY GRIBBON—LILA LEE
GRANADA ONLY—ELMER AND HIS BAND IN MUSICAL NOVELTIES.

ARSENAL Grand and Arsenal — CLARA BOW in "HER WEDDING NIGHT," and "DANGER LIGHTS."
UNION Union and Easton — CLARA BOW in "HER WEDDING NIGHT," and "Way for a Sailor."
AUBERT 4949 Easton — Nancy Carroll in "LAUGHTER," and "A DEVIL WITH WOMEN."
COLUMBIA 5257 Southwest — Will Rogers in "THEY HAD TO SEE PARIS," and "BEYOND THE LAW."
FLORISSANT 2438 E. Grand — DOUBLE PROGRAM Ann Harding in "THE GIRL OF THE GOLDEN WEST," and "GRUMPY." Rolla Coughlan's Live Orchestra.
GRAVOIS 2621 S. Jefferson — "THOSE THREE FRENCH GIRLS" and "THE SANTE FE TRAIL."
LAFAYETTE 1643 S. Jefferson — Victor McLaglen in "A DEVIL WITH WOMEN," & the Laff Hit, 'Grumpy.'
MAFFITT Vandeventer & St. Louis — George Arliss in "OLD ENGLISH," and "A Devil With Women."
HI-POINTE 1001 McCausland — HAROLD LLOYD in the Laff Riot, "FEET FIRST."
NEW CONGRESS 4023 Olive — "All Quiet on the Western Front," and the Laff hit, "Soup to Nuts."
MANCHESTER 4313 Manchester — NANCY CARROLL in "LAUGHTER," and "LOVE IN THE ROUGH."
MAPLEWOOD 7170 Manchester — Ann Harding in "The Girl of the Golden West," and 'What Men Want.'
MIKADO 5955 Easton — SPECIAL BENEFIT SHOW FOR THE POOR AND DESTITUTE OF WELLSTON. Continuous from 2 to 11 P. M.
PAGEANT 5851 Delmar — Ann Harding in "The Girl of the Golden West," and 'What Men Want.'
SHAW 39th and Shaw — Wallace Berry in "BILLY THE KID." Sue Carol in "She's My Weakness."
TIVOLI 6350 Delmar — DOUBLE PROGRAM CLARA BOW in "HER WEDDING NIGHT," and "Way for a Sailor." Tivoli Theater Orchestra.

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ASHLAND-REX 3520 Newstead — Joseph Schildkraut in "COCK OF THE WALK." Also Comedy. Christmas Day, Double Feature: Maurice Chevalier in "Playboy of Paris," Wm. Boyd in "The Flying Fool." Comedy, Krazy Kat. Mat. 2 P.M.

BADEN 8201 N. Bdwy. — JOHN BOLES and LAURA LA PLANTE in "THE CAPTAIN OF THE GUARD." Thursday, RAMON NOVARRO in "THE CALL OF THE FLESH." Also Matinee, Western Feature.

BREMEN 20th & Bremen — LORETTA YOUNG in an All-Talkie, "ROAD TO PARADISE." Also other subjects. Thursday, CHARLES MURRAY and GEORGE SIDNEY in an All-Talkie, "AROUND THE CORNER." Special Mat.

Cinderella Cherokee & Iowa — "SWEET KITTY BELLAIRS" with Claudia Dell and Ernest Torrence. Thursday, Christmas Day, Special Matinee, Victor McLaglen in "A DEVIL WITH WOMEN." Nancy Carroll in 'LAUGHTER.'

FAIRY 5640 Easton — Edmund Lowe in "SCOTLAND YARD." Mary Astor in "RUNAWAY BRIDE." Christmas Day, Continuous 1:30 to 11 P. M., Jack Holt in "THE SQUEALER," and Buck Jones in "SHADOW RANCH."

IRMA 6324 Bartmer — RUTH CHATTERTON in "ANYBODY'S WOMAN." Also Comedy and News. Christmas Day Special Talking Feature. Also Comedy and News.

King Bee 1710 N. Jefferson — Benny Rubin in "HOT CURVES." Comedy, "Accidents Will Happen." Christmas Day, Continuous 2 to 11:15, George O'Brien in "Last of the Duanes." Also Rube Goldberg's "Soup to Nuts."

Kirkwood Kirkwood, Mo. — Moran and Mack in "ANYBODY'S WAR." Also Comedy and News. Thursday, Continuous 2:30 to 11 P. M., Bessie Love in "GOOD NEWS," "OUR GANG" Comedy. Matinee, Western.

LEE 4366 Lee — IRENE RICH in "ON YOUR BACK." Also others. Episode No. 8, Rin-Tin-Tin Serial. Christmas Day, Special Matinee 2 P. M., Rube Goldberg's "SOUP TO NUTS." Bob Steele in "NEAR THE RAINBOW'S END."

LEMAY 318 Lemay Ferry Road — Joe E. Brown in "Top Speed." Chapter 11, "The Lone Defender." Also others. Thursday, Cont. 1:30 to 11 P. M., Milton Sills in "The Sea Wolf." Talking Comedy, "Men Without Skirts." Candy to Children.

Macklind 5415 Arsenal — JOHN McCORMACK in "SONG OF MY HEART." Also Comedy and Acts. Thursday, IRENE RICH in "ON YOUR BACK," and KEN MAYNARD in "SON OF THE SADDLE."

Marquette 1806 Franklin — "SOUP TO NUTS" with TED HEALY. Also "THE DUDE WRANGLER." Thursday, "SHE GOT WHAT SHE WANTED" with BETTY COMPSON and LEE TRACY. Also Comedy.

McNAIR 2100 Pestalozzi — Today and Tomorrow, "SOUP TO NUTS" with Ted Healy, "LITTLE JOHNNY JONES" with Eddie Buzzell. Sound News Comedy. Cartoon. A present to every child Christmas. Christmas Day Mat.

MELBA Grand & Miami — EDMUND LOWE in "SCOTLAND YARD." Thursday, Special Christmas Matinee: BUDDY ROGERS in "HEADS UP," and BUCK JONES in "SHADOW RANCH."

MELVIN 2912 Chippewa — All Technicolor, "SONG OF THE WEST" with JOE E. BROWN. Also "THOROUGHBRED." Thursday, Special Matinee, AL JOLSON in "BIG BOY." EDWARD EVERETT HORTON in "WIDE OPEN."

Michigan 7224 Michigan — "SCARLET PAGES" with ELSIE FERGUSON and GRANT WITHERS. Thursday, Special Matinee, "LET'S GO NATIVE" with JACK OAKIE, and "FOR THE LOVE O' LIL" with JACK MULHALL.

MONTGOMERY 15th & Montgomery — "NATION'S AFFAIR" with BILLIE DOVE. Thursday, Special Matinee, EDMUND LOWE and JOAN BENNETT in "SCOTLAND YARD." Mat. Only, 'SOPHOMORE.'

NEW SHENANDOAH 2227 S. Bdwy. — Wednesday and Thursday, "LAUGHTER" with NANCY CARROLL and FREDERICK MARCH. All-Talking. Short subjects. Special Matinee Thursday.

NEW WHITE WAY 6th & Hickory — "CONSPIRACY" with BESSIE LOVE. Also HOOT GIBSON in "SPURS." Thursday, Special Matinee, "RAIN OR SHINE" with JOE COOK. All-Talking.

O'FALLON W. Florissant at Alice — CHARLES FARRELL & ESTELLE TAYLOR in "LILIOM." Thursday, RAMON NOVARRO and DOROTHY JORDAN in "THE CALL OF THE FLESH." Also Matinee, Western Feature.

Overland Overland, Mo — Wednesday and Thursday, GARY COOPER in "THE SPOILERS," the famous Story of the Alaskan Gold Rush Days. Also Comedy and "THE COLLEGIANS."

OZARK Webster Groves — FRANK FAY in "MATRIMONIAL BED." Tomorrow Continuous 2:30 to 11:30. Ronald Colman and Kay Francis in "Raffles." Also James Murray, 'Hide Out.'

PALM 3010 N. Union — CHARLES FARRELL in "LILIOM." Also FANNIE BRICE in "BE YOURSELF" with ROBERT ARMSTRONG and HARRY GREEN. Thursday, Continuous 2 to 11 P. M. JOHN BARRYMORE in "MOBY DICK," & "GRUMPY" with Cyril Maude. Mickey McGuire's Gang Comedy.

PAULINE 5000 Claxton — KEN MAYNARD in "MOUNTAIN JUSTICE," and "THE CODE OF HONOR." Thursday, "UP THE RIVER." Matinee, No. 1 "THE INDIANS ARE COMING."

QUEENS 4700 Maffitt — Wednesday and Thursday, JOE E. BROWN in "MAYBE IT'S LOVE." Also "PARDON MY GUN." Special Christmas Matinee Thursday.

ROBIN 5479 Robin — "THE OFFICE WIFE" with Dorothy Mackaill. Also "OH! SAILOR BEHAVE." Christmas Day, Special Matinee, Buddy Rogers and Helen Kane in "Heads Up." Geo. O'Brien in 'Last of the Duanes.'

SOUTHAMPTON 5500 Lansdowne — Wednesday Only, Merchants' Gift Nite. Wednesday and Thursday, CHARLES MURRAY in "CLANCY IN WALL STREET." Rin-Tin-Tin Serial. Special Matinee Thursday.

Virginia 5117 Virginia — GEORGE ARLISS in "OLD ENGLISH." Christmas Day, Special Matinee, "LITTLE ACCIDENT" with ANITA PAGE and DOUG. FAIRBANKS, JR. Also "LAST OF THE LONE WOLF" with Bert Lytell.

Wellston 6236 Easton — Four Marx Bros. in "ANIMAL CRACKERS," and the Wonder Picture, "AFRICA SPEAKS." Thursday Matinee 2 P. M., Four Marx Bros. in "ANIMAL CRACKERS," and "AFRICA SPEAKS."

ON THE AIR TONIGHT

A Christmas Tree program will be broadcast at 5 o'clock over KSD. There will be an address by President Hoover and Lieutenant-Colonel U. S. Grant III. Music by U. S. Marine Band.

This program will also be broadcast over the Columbia network and KMOX.

A Bookhouse Story Time broadcast is set for 5:30 over KMOX.

Another Santa Claus program will go on the air at 5:30 over KSD.

Uncle Abe and David will be on KSD from 5:45 to 6 o'clock.

Amos and Andy will be on WLW at 6 o'clock.

Phil Cook, the Quaker man, will broadcast at 6:30 over KWK.

Evangeline Adams, the Forhan's astrologer, is scheduled at 6:30 over KMOX.

At 7 o'clock a "Rodeheaver Sing" will be broadcast by KSD.

Special arrangements of "Tambourine Chinois" and "When Day Is Done" will be played by a xylophone soloist during a Yeast Foamers' program at 7 over KWK. Details follow:

"I Like a Little Girl Like That," "And Then Your Lips Met Mine," "When Day Is Done," "Sing Song Girl," "Rockin' Chair," "After Your Kiss," "Tambourine Chinois," "What Good Am I Without You?" and "My Man From Caroline."

Lowell Thomas will discuss current events at 7 o'clock over KMOX.

A Radiotron Varieties broadcast, featuring "Bugs" Baer, Welcome Lewis and Sam Herman, xylophonist, is set for 7:15 over KSD.

Guy Lombardo's Orchestra will play dance music at 7:15 over KMOX.

"Toyland" from Herbert's "Babes in Toyland," will open Mobiloil Christmas eve concert at 7:30 over KSD. Carols and juvenile Christmas songs will be sung by The Choristers, a male octet; Marcella Shields, comedienne, and an orchestra under Nathaniel Shilkret. Program details:

Toyland, from "Babes in Toyland" .... Herbert
Jingle Bells .... Pierpont
Toy Makers' Workshop .... Herbert
Orchestra.
Christmas Carols
The Choristers and orchestra.
Hansel and Gretel .... Humperdinck
Ava Maria .... Schubert
Orchestra.
Joy to the World .... Handel
Orchestra and ensemble.
Slumber Boat .... Gaynor
String Choir.
Silent Night .... Gruber
Orchestra and voices.

Ludens Balalaika orchestra and a chorus will play this program at 7:30 over KWK:

El Capitan .... Sousa
Orchestra.
When Kentucky Bids the World Good Morning .... Wayne
Vocal chorus.
Mercedes Valse .... Miro
Orchestra.
Must I Say Adois? .... Boyan
Vocal chorus.
Selections from "Countess Maritza" .... Kalman
Orchestra.
Kashmiri's Love Song From "Four Indian Love Lyrics" .... Finden
Vocal chorus.
Balalaika
La Paloma .... Yradier
Orchestra.
Sometimes I'm Happy .... Youmans
Chorus.
New Champagne Galop .... Lumbye
Orchestra.

Toscha Seidel, violinist, will play the first movement from Mozart's E Flat Concerto, and Kreisler's "Londonderry Air" during his recital with orchestra from 7:30 to 8 o'clock over KMOX. The program:

Minuet, from the Jupiter Symphony .... Mozart
Orchestra.
First Movement from flat Concerto .... Mozart
Toscha Seidel and orchestra.
Londonderry Air .... Kreisler
Toscha Seidel.
English Folk Songs
Orchestra.

The Christmas eve story of the Nut-Cracker and the toys, as immortalized through the music of Tschaikowsky, will be played by the symphony orchestra during the Halsey-Stuart program at 8 o'clock over KSD.

A Gold Medal Fast Freight broadcast will begin as usual at 8 o'clock over KMOX. The program will include:

"Go Home and Tell Your Mother," quartet, "You're Simply Delish," "Girl Crazy," "Chloe," "Sing Something Simple" and "You've Got That Thing."

A group of family songs for Christmas eve will feature the Palmolive Hour over KSD at 8:30.

Christmas songs of the New and Old World will feature the Camel Pleasure Hour at 8:30 over KWK. Reinald Werrenrath will sing "Little Town of Bethlehem" and Willard Robinson and orchestra will play "A City Called Heaven." The program follows:

March of the Toys,
Prelúdium.
Nutcracker Suite (selection)
Tschaikowsky
Espana Waltz .... Chabrier
Flight of the Bumble Bee
Rimsky-Korsakoff
In a Clock Store.
Orchestra.
March of the Magi.
Annie Laurie.
Bells of St. Mary's.
Club.
In the Silence of the Night.
Quartet.
Little Town of Bethlehem.
Reinald Werrenrath and Glee Club.
Christmas songs:
(a) Jingle Bells.
(b) The First Nowell.
(c) Silent Night.
(d) In a Manger.
(e) Angels We Have Heard.
(f) Adeste Fideles.
(g) O Fir Tree Dark.
(m) Come All Ye Children.
(i) Carol of Russian Children.
Orchestra and ensemble.
A City Called Heaven.
Willard Robison.
Christmas Overture.
Ensemble.

Excerpts from the operetta, "New Moon," will be played by a symphonic orchestra as a feature of the La Palina Smoke Dreams over KMOX from 8:30 to 9 o'clock.

Mary Charles, soprano, will sing "Overnight" and "Moonlight in Aloho."

The program:

Can This Be Love
Nochecita .... Albeniz
Overnight
Mary Charles
March of the Teeny Weenies
Selections from "New Moon"
Gay and Wistful .... Savino
Moonlight in Aloho
Mary Charles
Parade of the Wooden Soldiers
The Detroit Symphony Orchestra

and the Detroit Symphony Choir of 250 mixed voices will join in presenting Christmas music from Handel's oratorio, "The Messiah," over KMOX from 9 to 10 o'clock. Victor Kolar will direct. The program:

March: Fair Land of Mine .... Kolar
Nutcracker Suite .... Tschaikowsky
Messiah .... Handel
(a) Pastorale
(b) And the Glory of the Lord
(c) For Unto Us a Child Is Born
(d) Halleluiah

The English Singers of London, internationally known choral group will be featured during a Coca Cola broadcast at 9:30 over KSD. The singers are specialists in choral work and have made several tours of America and the Far East, and have adopted the unusual custom of singing seated at ease around a table. Their programs are made up of music of the Sixteenth Century — madrigals, canzonets, ballads and motets.

Grantland Rice, sports writer, will interview "Santa Claus."

KSD is to broadcast part of a two-hour RCA-Victor Christmas Eve party from 10 to 11 o'clock. John B. Kennedy will be master of ceremonies and Nathaniel Shilkret will conduct the concert. Artists and entertainers to be featured include James Melton, tenor; Wilfred Glenn, bass; Welcome Lewis, contralto; Edna Kellogg, soprano; Andy Sannella, saxophone and guitar soloist; Johnny Marvin, popular recording artist; Leonard Joy and his High Hatters; Clyde Doerr and his saxophone octet; Rosario Bourdon, recording and radio conductor; the Salon Singers, the Green Marimba Band and the Russian Balalaika orchestra.

Amos and Andy are scheduled as usual at 10 o'clock over KWK.

OUT-OF-TOWN STATIONS

KYW (1020kc)—5:30, Hydrox party; 6, Curtis contest; 6:30, Panico's orchestra; 7 to 10, NBC; 10, Sports Reporter; 10:15, Features; 10:30, King's orchestra; 11:02, Spitalny's orchestra; 12, Panico's orchestra; 12:15, Hamp's orchestra; 12:45, Panico's orchestra.

WLS (870kc)—7, Family Party; variety; 7:15, Hot Time in Old Town; 7:30, Community Club; 8, Studio program.

WENR (870kc)—6, Harvey's orchestra; 6:30, Farm program; 6:45, Luke and Mirandy; 8:30, Feature program; 9, Minstrel show; 10, Amos and Andy; 10:30, Mike and Herman; 10:45, Music; 11, Air vaudeville.

WMAQ (1020kc)—5:30, CBS; 5:45, Principal's Club; 6, Chevrolet program; 6:30, Prof. Gurley; 6:45, NBC; 8, Christmas program; 9, CBS; 10, Amos and Andy; 10:10, Concert orchestra; 10:30, Dan and Sylvia; 10:45, Musical program; 11, Dance music.

WBBM (770kc)—6, Whiteman's orchestra; 6:30, Cecil and Sally; 8, CBS; 8:30, CBS; 9, Lucien Lelong program; 9:30, Wyle Hat Hour; 11:45, Around the Town.

WLW (700kc)—6, Amos 'n' Andy; 6:15, Popcorn revue; 6:30, Quaker Man program; 6:45, Variety; 7, Advertising program; 7:30, Canova program; 8:30, NBC; 9:30, Bob Newhall; 10, Cummins' orchestra; 10:30, Theater of the Air; 10:50, Midnight mass.

WGN (720kc)—6, Punch and Judy; 6:15, Melodies; 6:30, Ted Fio-Rito's orchestra; 6:45, Harold Teen; 7, Syncopators; 7:10, Komiss program; 7:30, Mobiloil program; 8, Three Wise Men; 8:30, Palmolive hour; 9:30, The Girls—"Clara Lu 'n' Em;" 9:45, Musical Menu; 10:10, Allen Grant; 10:30, Syncopators; 10:50, The Night Before Christmas; 11, Carols Over Europe; 11:30, Organ music.

OUT-OF-TOWN STATIONS FOR TOMORROW

KYW (1020kc) — 6, Panico's orchestra; 6:30, Hamp's orchestra; 7, Spitalny's orchestra; 8, NBC; 10:15, Features; 10:30, King's orchestra; 11:02, Spitalny's orchestra; 12, Panico's orchestra; 12:15, Hamp's orchestra; 12:45, Panico's orchestra.

WMAQ (670kc)—5:30, Harold Van Horne, pianist; 5:45, Model Airplane Club; 6, Concert orchestra; 6:30, Arzen program; 6:45, Maling Trio; 7, CBS; 7:30, CBS; 8, Kosto program; 8:30, Concert orchestra; 9 Studio program; 9:30, Freeman Foursome; 10, Amos and Andy; 10:15, Marquette program; 10:30, Dan and Sylvia; 10:45, Dance orchestra; 11, Orchestra.

WBBM (770kc)—Paul Whiteman's orchestra; 6:30, Cecil and Sally; 8, CBS; 9, CBS; 9:30, Bernie's orchestra; 11:15, Around the Town.

WGN (720kc.)—6, Punch and Judy; 6:30, Fio Rito's orchestra; 6:45, Harold Teen; 7, NBC; 8, Special Christmas program; 8:30, Atlas Special program; 9, Mark Love, basso; 9:30, The Girls; 9:45, Musical menu; 10:10, Allen Grant, pianist; 10:20, Louie's Hungry Five; 10:30, Symphony orchestra; 11, Dance music.

WLW (700kc)—6, Amos and Andy; 6:15, Tastyeast program; 6:30, Phil Cook; 6:45, Helbros program; 7, Los Amigos; 7:30, World Tour; 8, Armco Band; 8:30, Maxwell concert; 9, Hollingsworth; 9:45, Variety; 10, Chime Reveries; 11, Castle Farm orchestra; 11:30, Bromley House, tenor; 12, Gibson orchestra.

WLS (870kc)—7, Family Party; 7:30, Sterling Jamboree; variety; 8, Sears' Singers.

WENR (870kc)—6, Harvey's orchestra; 6:15, Talk; 6:30, Farm program; 6:45, Luke and Mirandy; 8:30, Orchestra; 9, Romance Time; 10, Amos and Andy; 10:15, Popular program; 10:30, Mike and Herman; 10:45, Popular program; 11, Air vaudeville.

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Wednesday, December 24

12:00 M.—Palais d'Or Orchestra.
1:00 P. M.—Hotel Coronado Orchestra.
1:45 P. M.—Children's Christmas Carols.
2:00 P. M.—Talks.
2:15 P. M.—Musical Lights.
2:30 P. M.—Evening Stars.
3:45 P. M.—Sky Sketches.
4:00 P. M.—The Lady Next Door.
4:30 P. M. — "Backgammon," by J. A. Barraket.
4:45 P. M.—Tea Timers.
5:00 P. M.—Christmas Tree Celebration.
5:30 P. M.—Santa Claus.
5:45-6:00 P. M.—"Uncle Abe and David."
7:00 P. M.—Rodeheaver Sing.
7:15 P. M.—Radiotron Varieties.
7:30 P. M.—Mobiloil Concert.
8:00 P. M.—Halsey Stuart Program.
8:30 P. M.—Palmolive Hour.
9:30 P. M.—Coca - Cola Program.
10:00 P. M.—RCA Victor Program.

Thursday, December 25

8:00 A. M.—Phil Cook, "The Quaker Man."
8:15 A. M.—Morning Melodies.
8:45 A. M.—A&P Program.
10:30 A. M.—The Story of the Christmas Tree.
11:00 A. M.—Santy's Serenaders.
12:00 M.—Palais d'Or Orchestra.
1:00 P. M.—Hotel Coronado Orchestra.
1:30 P. M.—Christmas in Hawaii.
1:45 P. M.—Melody Three.
2:00 P. M.—The Evolution of Christmas.
3:00 P. M.—Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra.
4:45 P. M.— International Christmas Greetings.
5:00 P. M.—Black and Gold Room Orchestra.
5:45-6:00 P. M.—"Uncle Abe and David."
7:00 P. M.—The Fleischman Sunshine Hour.
8:00-8:30 P. M.—Arco Birthday Party.
9:00 P. M. — Lucky Strike Dance Orchestra.
10:00 P. M.—Florence Richardson's Orchestra.
10:30 P. M.—Cotton Club Dance Orchestra.
11:00 P. M.—Isham Jones and His Coronado Dance Orchestra.
11:30 P. M.—Hotel Bossert Orchestra.

Friday (Daytime)

8:00 A. M.—Phil Cook, "The Quaker Man."
8:15 A. M.—U. S. Army Band.
8:30 A. M.—Morning Melodies.
8:45 A. M.—A&P Program.
10:00-10:45 A. M.—Gordon String Quartet.
11:45 A. M.—On Wings of Song.
12:00 M.—Palais d'Or Orchestra.
1:00 P. M.—Hotel Coronado Orchestra.
1:30 P. M.—Edna Wallace Hopper.
2:00 P. M.—Talks.
2:15 P. M.—U. S. Navy Band Concert.
4:00 P. M.—The Lady Next Door.
4:30 P. M.—Tea Timers.
5:00 P. M.—The World in Music.
5:15 P. M.—Black and Gold Room Orchestra.
5:45-6:00 P. M.—"Uncle Abe and David."

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LOCAL STATIONS

KFUO (550kc)—7:15 a. m., Meditation; Rev. Frankenstein; organ; 12:15 p. m., Address, Rev. Keisker; organ; 3, Shut-in program; address, Rev. Luecke; music; 6, Vesper service; organ; 6:30 p. m., Question period, Rev. J. Fey; organ; 11, Near to midnight gospel period; address, Rev. Biegener; music; 11:30, Radio drama.

KMOX (1090kc)—5, President Hoover's Christmas greetings; 5:15, Southwestern Bell Telephone chorus; 5:30, My Bookhouse Story program; 5:45, Talk for children; 5:50, The Anybodys; 6, Phillips orchestra; 6:30, Evangeline Adams, astrologer; 6:45, Christmas carols; 7, Current events; 7:15, Lombardo's orchestra; 7:30, Toscha Seidel, violinist, and concert orchestra; 8, Gold Medal Fast Freight; 8:30, La Palina Smoker; 9, Detroit Symphony Orchestra; 10, Chevrolet Chroniclers; 10:30, Phillips orchestra; 11:30, Dr. Cu Cu.

KWK (1350kc)—5, Melody Parade; 5:20, Careful Children's Club; 5:30, Hits of Bygone Days; 6, Chamber of Commerce; 6:10, piano music; 6:15, Cecil and Sally; 6:30, Quaker Man; 6:45, Rudy Baie, tenor; 7, Yeast Foamers; 7:30, Luden's Balalaika orchestra; 8, Around the Corner Christmas Club; 8:30, Camel Pleasure hour; 9:30, St. Louis program; 9:45, Artophone program; 10, Amos and Andy; 10:15, Village Rhymster; 10:27, Chase orchestra; 11, Jefferson orchestra; 11:30, Chase orchestra; 12, Midnight Merrymakers.

WIL (1200kc)—5, Transcriptions; 5:15, Vocal; 5:30, King Institute of Music; 6, Masters of Melody; 6:15, Louie's Hungry Five; 6:30, Melody Masters; 6:45, Civic Service hour; 7, Baily's orchestra; 7:15, Santa Claus; 7:45, Baily's orchestra; 8, Christmas Carol Singers; 8:15, Baily's orchestra; 8:30, Hondorus; 8:45, Franklin program; 9, Arcadians; 9:30, Cotton Club orchestra; 10, Baily's orchestra; 10:30, Nanking Inn orchestra; 11, Lange's orchestra.

WEW (760kc)—4 p. m., Patrick Gainor, tenor.

Programs on Local Stations for Tomorrow.

KFUO (550kc)—6 a. m., Services of Pilgrim Lutheran Church. Rev. Doerffler. Topic: "The Gladsome Tidings." Music. 7:15, Morning Meditation. Rev. Weeke. Music. 9, Service of Pilgrim Church. Topic: "The Wonder of Wonders." Music. 4 p. m., Christmas Message. Rev. Claus. Music. 8:30, Address: "The Fulfillment of the Advent Message." Rev. Spitz. Music.

KMOX (1090kc)—6:45 a. m., Uncle Lem; 7, Tony's Scrapbook; 7:15, Melody Musketeers; 7:30, Morning Devotions; 7:45, Morning Minstrels; 8, Something for Everyone; 8:30, Morning Moods; 8:45, Eddie Calmer; 9, Organ program; 9:30, Bay State program; 9:45, Newscasting; 10, Christmas service from National Cathedral in Washington; 11, Tremaine's Orchestra; 11:15 Vagabond Club; 11:30, Oscar Heather, tenor; 11:45, Helen of Hollywood; 12 noon, Musical Aviators orchestra; 12:30, London broadcast; 1 p. m., Ford Rush, baritone; 1:15, Organ recital; 1:30, Rhythm Ramblers; 2, Dr. Cu Cu; 2:15, Window Shoppers; 3, John and Ned; 3:15, Asbury Park orchestra; 3:30, Crocket Mountaineers; 4, WSPD Commodores orchestra; 4:30, Dansant orchestra; 5, Children's feature; 5:15, String ensemble; 5:30, Dell Reed, tenor; 5:45, Curtis program; 5:50, The Anybodys; 6, Phillips orchestra; 6:30, Ward's Tip Top Club; 7, Current Events; 7:15, Poets Gold; 7:30, Kaltenborn Edits the News; 7:45, Hamilton program; 8, Grand Central broadcast; 8:30, Detective Story program; 9, Lutheran Laymen's League; 9:30, Continental program; 10, John and Ned; 10:15, McAleer Melodists; 10:30, Phillips orchestra; 11:30, Jacquinot Jules, organist.

KWK (1350kc)—6:45 a. m., Christmas Morning Music Box; 7:30, Ford and Wallace; 7:45, Jolly Bill and Jane; 8, Greetings; 8:30, Vermont Lumber Jacks; 8:45, Sleighbells; 9, Libby program; 9:15, Beatrice Mabie; 9:20, rebroadcast from Far East; 9:30, string trio; 9:45, Household program; 10, Echoes of the Orient; 10:30, Odorono Cutex; 10:45, organ melodies; 11:15, Around the Corner Xmas Club; 11:30, Christmas Frolics; 12:30 p. m., George, the Lava Man; 12:45, Three Mustachios; 1, Holiday Syncopators; 1:30, Reindeer Band; 1:45, Sisters of the Skillet; 2, Musical Art Quartet; 2:30, Blue Rhythms; 3:15, Melody Parade; 3:45, At the Piano; 4, Brazilian American Program; 4:30, Smolin and Stone; 4:35, rebroadcast from England, Germany and Washington; 5, Tea Time Tunes; 5:15, Whyte's orchestra; 5:30, dancing melodies; 6, dinner gems; 6:15, Cecil and Sally; 6:45, Friendly Five Footnotes; 7, Aunt Lulu's Adventures; 7:15, Landt Trio; 7:30, The First Nighter; 8, Knox Dunlap orchestra; 8:30, Maxwell Melodies; 9, KWK chorus; 9:30, Around the Corner Xmas Club; 10, Amos and Andy; 10:15, Village Rhymester; 10:27, Chase orchestra; 11, Jefferson orchestra; 11:30, Chase orchestra; 12, Midnight Merry Makers.

WIL (1200kc)—7 a. m., Breakfast Club program; 8, School program; 8:10, Rosalind Day; 8:30, Naborhood hour; 9, Musicale; 9:45, Christmas Carol Singers; 10, organ program; 10:15, Russell Kaiser; 10:40, Harmonizers; 10:45, Hotsy Totsy Four; 12 m., transcriptions; 12:15, Luncheon Dansante orchestra; 12:45, transcription; 1, organ program; 1:15, Variety Three; 1:30, Souvenirs of Melody; 1:45, Song of the Strings; 2, Police Releases; 2:15, Old Fashioned Music Album; 2:30, Record request program; 2:45, Sylvan trio; 3, Truhtful story teller; 3:15, Friendly Four; 3:30 Sing a Song Period; 4, Haunted House; 4:30, Safety Council program; 4:25, John Willis, violinist; 5:15, Masters of Melody; 5:45, transcriptions; 6, Masters of Melody; 6:45, Civic Service period; 7, Baily's orchestra; 7:15, Palais D'Or orchestra; 9:20, Hondorus; 9:30, Arcadians; 9:45, Franklin program; 10, Foresters' orchestra; 10:30, Nanking Inn orchestra; 11, Lange's orchestra; 11:30, Jackson's orchestra.

WEW (760kc)—11, a. m., Devereux's High Mass, sung by male choir. Sermon, Rev. Noonan; 4 p. m., Christmas carols, male quartet.

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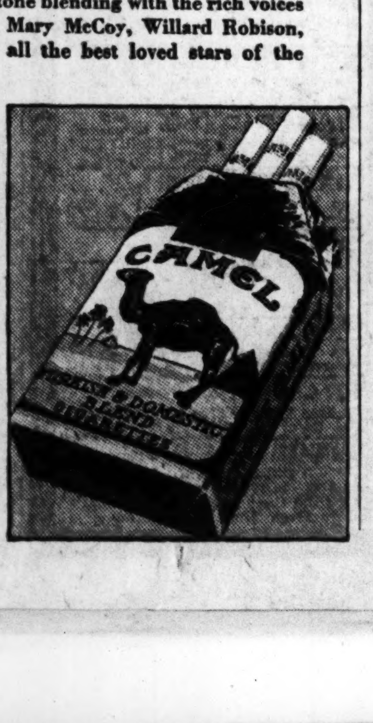

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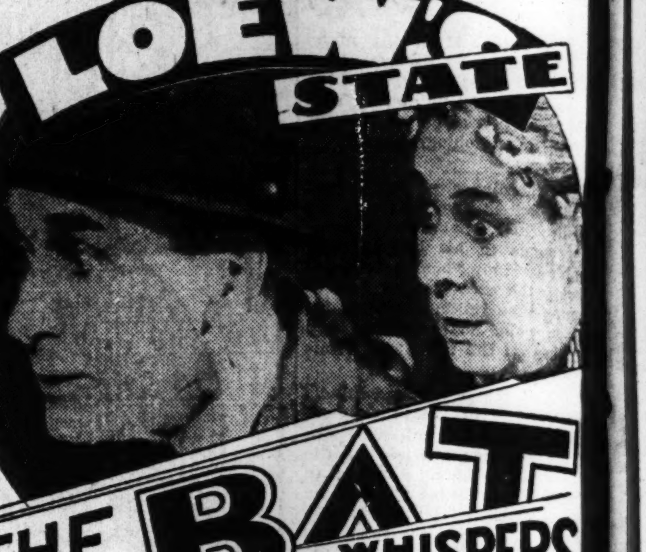

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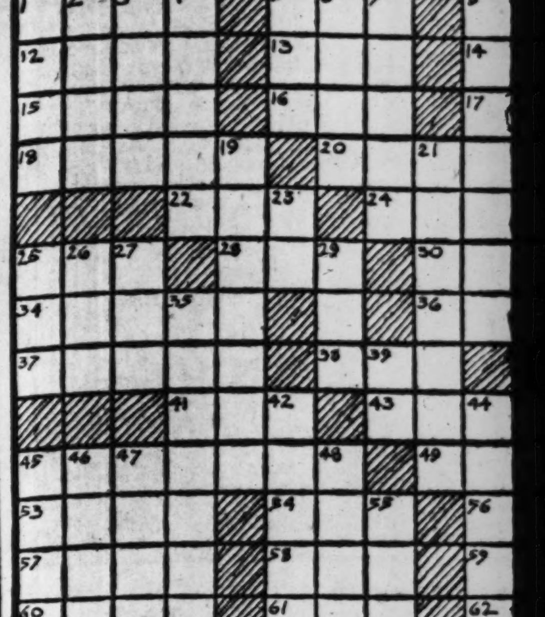
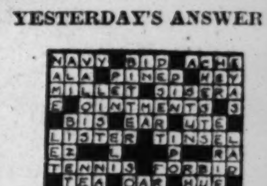


HORIZONTAL.

1. Man's name.
5. Algeria (ab.).
8. The cupbearer of Olympus before Ganymede.
12. On the ocean.
13. Kind of monkey.
14. A plant.
15. A dent.
16. Swine.
17. Place for grinding grain.
18. Thesis.
20. Fights.
22. Permit.
24. Greek letter.
25. A game.
28. Ventilate.
30. Journeys.
34. Author of "Marius the Epicurean."
36. Eskimo hut.
37. Harsh.
38. Entire amount.
40. Lighted.
41. A color.
43. Poem.
45. Periods of 10 years.
49. Similar.
53. Man's name.
54. Recent.
56. Arabian seaport.
57. Tame.
58. Sticky black liquid.
59. Take care of.
60. Additions to houses.
61. Pen.
62. Consumes.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER



VERTICAL.

1. A hard, greenish silicate.
2. Suffix signifying condition.
3. Fowl.
4. Province of the Union of South Africa.

The answer will be printed Friday.

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Wash, peel and dice young turnips and boil until tender in salted water. Drain and add a dash of pepper, three tablespoons cream and a pinch of salt. Stir and simmer until the turnips have absorbed the seasonings and most of the cream.

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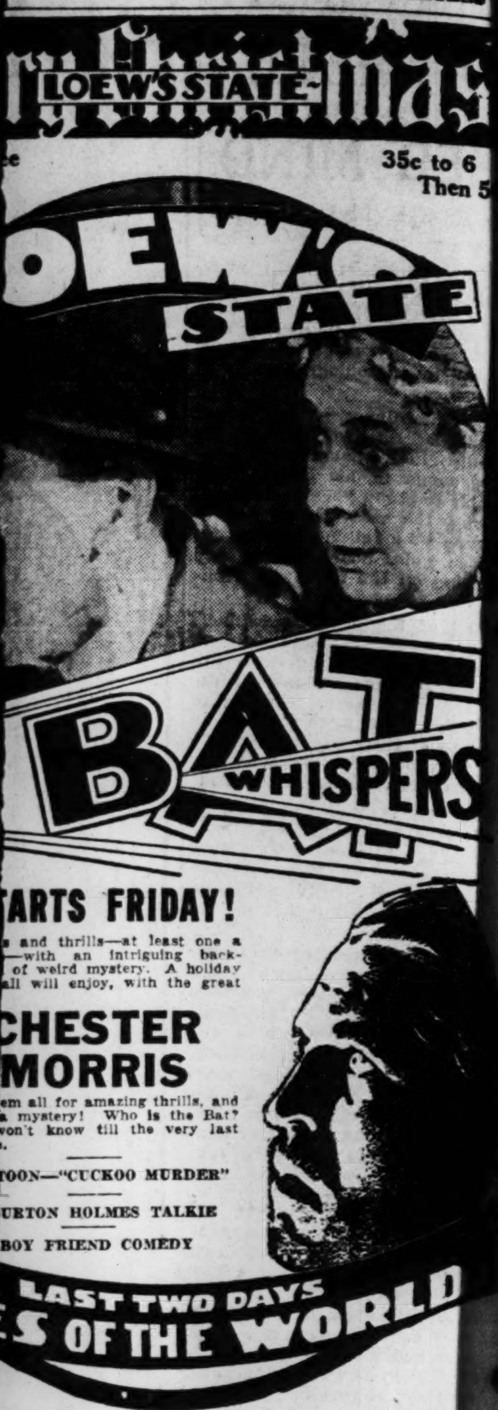

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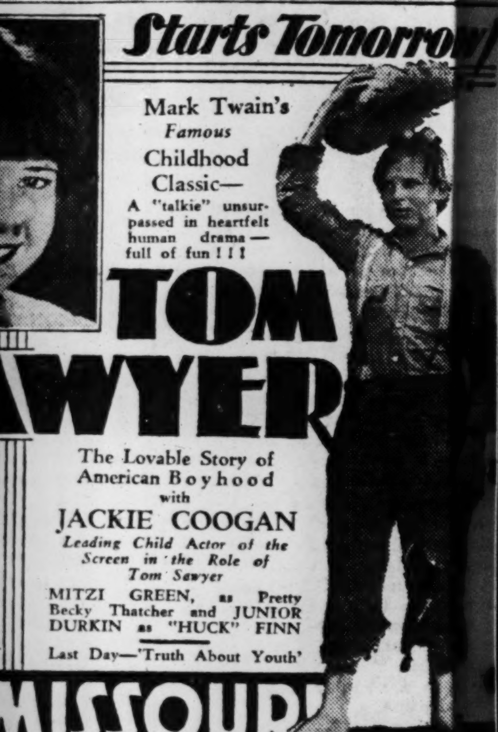

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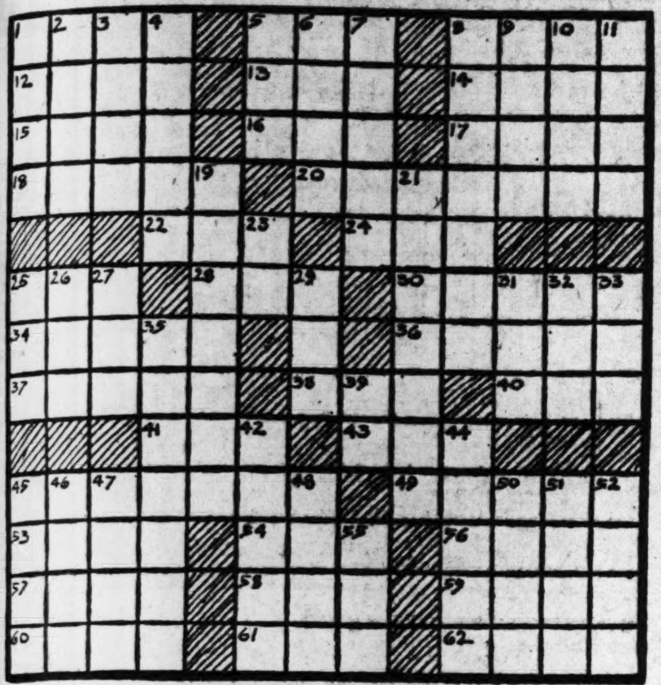

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HORIZONTAL.
1. Man's name.
5. Algeria (ab.).
8. The cupbearer of Olympus before Ganymede.
12. On the ocean.
13. Kind of monkey.
14. A plant.
15. A dent.
16. Swine.
17. Place for grinding grain.
18. Thesis.
20. Fights.
22. Permit.
24. Greek letter.
25. A game.
28. Ventilate.
30. Journeys.
34. Author of "Marius the Epicurean."
36. Eskimo hut.
37. Harsh.
38. Entire amount.
40. Lighted.
41. A color.
43. Poem.
45. Periods of 10 years.
49. Similar.
53. Man's name.

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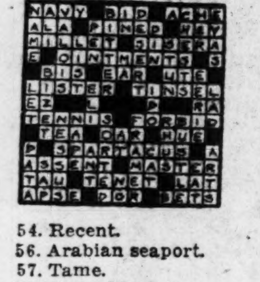

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54. Recent.
56. Arabian seaport.
57. Tame.
58. Sticky black liquid.
59. Take care of.
60. Additions to houses.
61. Pen.
62. Consumes.

VERTICAL.
1. A hard, greenish silicate.
2. Suffix signifying condition.
3. Fowl.
4. Province of the Union of South Africa.
5. A reptile.
6. Pertaining to the laity.
7. Leg of mutton.
8. A German city?
9. English author's pen name.
10. Metal fastener.
11. Fish (pl.).
19. Longed for.
21. Girl's name.
23. Note of the scale.
25. Lord Privy Seal (ab.).
26. A grain.
27. Suffix.
29. Inlet.
31. Sick.
32. Hawaiian food.
33. Drunkard.
35. Commissions.
39. Behold.
42. Depressions.
44. Excite.
45. A coin.
46. Wicked.
47. Cry.
48. Bench.
50. Thought.
51. County in England.
52. Terminates.
55. Distorted.

The answer will be printed Friday.

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5:45—Uncle Abe and David — KSD, WEAF, WGY, WRC, WCAE.
6:00—Striking of the Big Ben—WEAF.
6:30—Bonnie Laddies—WEAF, WENR.
6:45—Back of the News in Washington —WEAF, WSAI, WOC, WHO, WOW, WDAF, WSM, KTHS.
7:00—"Rodheaver Sing"—KSD, WEAF, WGY, WOW, WWJ, WDAF, KOA, WSM, WMC, WSB.
7:50—Radiatron Varieties—KSD, WEAF, WSAI, WOW, WSM, WSB, KOA, KSL.
7:30—Mobiloil Concert — KSD, WEAF, WGR, WSAI, WOW, KOA, WGY, WGN, WDAF, WEBC, WWJ, WOC, WHO.
8:00—Halsey Stuart Program — KSD, WEAF, WGY, WSAI, WOC, WHO, WOW, WWJ, WHAS, WMC, WSB.

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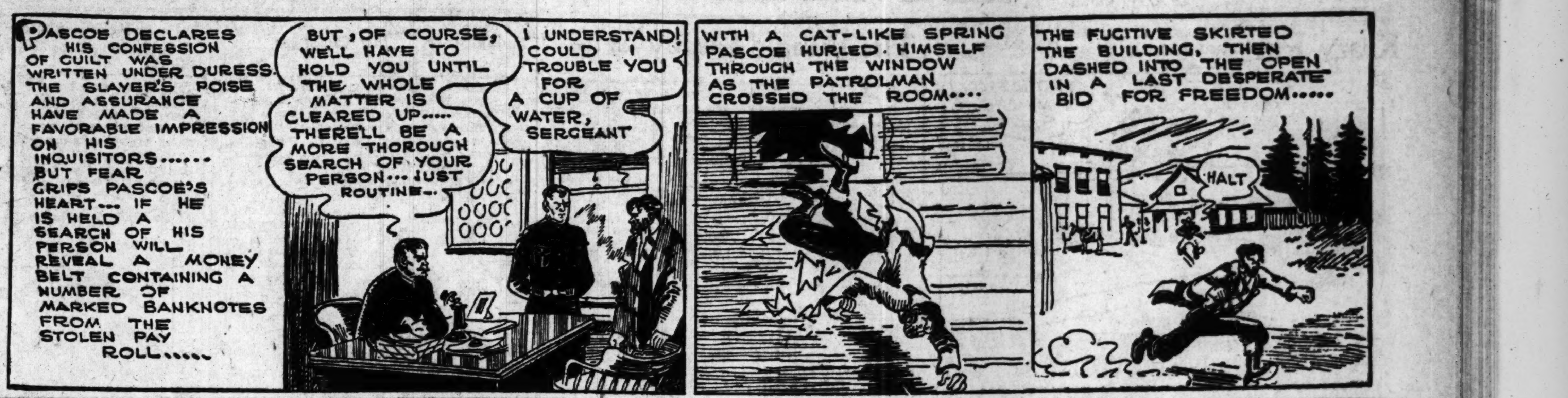

PASCOE DECLARES HIS CONFESSION OF GUILT WAS WRITTEN UNDER DURESS. THE SLAYER'S POISE AND ASSURANCE HAVE MADE A FAVORABLE IMPRESSION ON HIS INQUISITORS...... BUT FEAR GRIPS PASCOE'S HEART... IF HE IS HELD A SEARCH OF HIS PERSON WILL REVEAL A MONEY BELT CONTAINING A NUMBER OF MARKED BANKNOTES FROM THE STOLEN PAY ROLL......
BUT, OF COURSE, WE'LL HAVE TO HOLD YOU UNTIL THE WHOLE MATTER IS CLEARED UP..... THERE'LL BE A MORE THOROUGH SEARCH OF YOUR PERSON... JUST ROUTINE...
I UNDERSTAND! COULD I TROUBLE YOU FOR A CUP OF WATER, SERGEANT
WITH A CAT-LIKE SPRING PASCOE HURLED HIMSELF THROUGH THE WINDOW AS THE PATROLMAN CROSSED THE ROOM....
THE FUGITIVE SKIRTED THE BUILDING, THEN DASHED INTO THE OPEN IN A LAST DESPERATE BID FOR FREEDOM.....
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The Hunting Season

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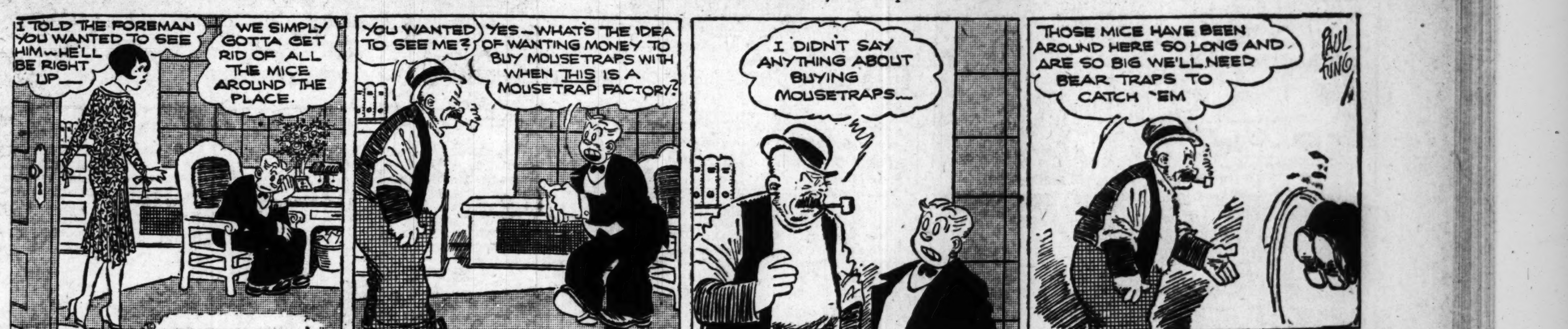

I TOLD THE FOREMAN YOU WANTED TO SEE HIM—HE'LL BE RIGHT UP—
WE SIMPLY GOTTA GET RID OF ALL THE MICE AROUND THE PLACE.
YOU WANTED TO SEE ME?
YES—WHAT'S THE IDEA OF WANTING MONEY TO BUY MOUSETRAPS WITH WHEN THIS IS A MOUSETRAP FACTORY?
I DIDN'T SAY ANYTHING ABOUT BUYING MOUSETRAPS—
THOSE MICE HAVE BEEN AROUND HERE SO LONG AND ARE SO BIG WE'LL NEED BEAR TRAPS TO CATCH 'EM
PAUL FUNG

KOA, KSTP, KYW, WSM.
8:30—Palmolive Hour — KSD, WEAF, WGY, WSAI, WSM, WOC, WOW, KSTP, WHAS, WSB, WHO, WFAA, WDAF, WWJ.
9:30—Coca-Cola Program—KSD, WEAF, WSAI, WOC, KYW, KSTP, WSM, KTHS, WGY, WDAF, WHAS, WHO, WOW, WMC, WSB.
10:00—RCA Christmas Party — KSD, WEAF, WSAI, WOW, WGY, KOA.

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National Broadcasting Co. Blue

6:00—Amos and Andy — WLW, WJZ, KDKA, WRC, WJAX, WCKY.
6:15—Three Mustachios—WJZ.
6 30—Phil Cook, the Quaker Man—WJZ, KWK, WLW, WEBC, KFAB, KSTP, KOA, KHO, KDKA.
6:45—Fifth Avenue Knights — WJZ, KDKA, KYW.
7:00—Yeast Foamers — KWK, WJZ, KDKA, KYW, KFAB, WLW.
7:30—Ludens Balalaika Orchestra—KWK, WJZ, WLW, KYW, KFAB.
8:00—Muriel and Vee — WJZ, WLS, WCKY, KDKA.
8:15—The Two Troupers — WJZ, WLS, WREN, KDKA, WJR.
8:30—Camel Pleasure Hour—KWK, WJZ, KDKA, WLW, KYW, WJR.
9:30—Wayside Inn—WJZ, WJR, KDKA, WREN.
10:00—Amos and Andy — KWK, WJZ, KTHS, WEBS, WDAF, KOA, WMAQ, WSM, WHAS, WMC, WSB.
10:55—Chimes From Trinity Church—WJZ.
11:00—Rudy Vallee's Orchestra—WJZ.

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Columbia Broadcasting System

5:00—President Hoover's Christmas Greetings—KMO, WABC.
6:00—Morton Downey—WABC, KOIL, WCCO.
6:15—Serenaders—WABC.
6:30—Evangeline Adams, Astrologer — KMOX, WABC, KOIL, WCCO.
6:45—The Vagabonds—WABC.
7:00—Lowell Thomas — KMOX, WABC, WMAQ, KOIL, KMBC, WCCO.
7:15—Lombardo's Orchestra — KMOX, WABC, KMBC, WCCO.
7:30—Toscha Seidel and Orchestra — KMOX, WABC, WMAQ, WOWO.
8:00—Gold Medal Fast Freight—KMOX, WABC, WOWO, WBBM, KOIL, KMBC, WCCO.
8:30—La Palina—KMOX, WABC, WMAQ, KOIL, KMBC, WCCO.
9:00—Detroit Symphony Orchestra — KMOX, WABC, WOWO, WMAQ, KOIL, KMBC, WCCO.
10:00—A Christmas Carol—WABC, KOIL, KMBC, WCCO.
11:00—Carol Service—WABC, KOIL.

CHAIN PROGRAMS FOR TOMORROW

National Broadcasting Co. Red

8:00 a. m.—Phil Cook—KSD, WEAF.
8:15 a. m.—Morning Melodies — KSD, WEAF.
8:45 a. m.—A and P Program — KSD, WEAF.
10:30 a. m.—"Story of the Christmas Tree."—KSD, WEAF.
11:00 a. m.—Santy's Serenaders — KSD, WEAF.
12:00 Noon—Pennsylvania Luncheon Music—KSD, WEAF.
1:30 p. m.—"Christmas in Hawaii" — KSD, WEAF.
2:00 p. m.—Christmas in Drama and Song—KSD, WEAF.
3:00 p. m.—Special Philco Program — KSD, WEAF.
4:45 p. m. — International Christmas Greetings—KSD, WEAF.
5:00 p. m.—Black and Gold Room Orchestra—KSD, WEAF.
5:45 p. m—"Uncle Abe and David" — KSD, WEAF.
6:00 p. m.—Federation Hymn Sing — WEAF, WWJ, WHAS, WOC, WHO, KOA.
6:30 p. m.—Neagra-Hudson Program — WEAF, WGR.
7:00 p.m.—Fleischmann Hour — KSD, WDAF, WGY, WHO, WOW, WEAF, WWJ, WHAS, WMC, WSB, WSM, WOC, KTHS, KSTP, WGN.
8:00 p. m.—Arco Birthday Party — KSD, WEAF, WGY, WSB, WSM, KOA, WWJ, WSAI, WDAF, KYW, WOW, WOC, WMC, WHO, KSTP.
8:30 p. m.—Jack Frost's Melody Moments —WEAF, WWJ, WRC, WGY, WSAI.
9:00 p. m.—Lucky Strike Dance Orchestra — KSD, WEAF, WGY, WWJ, WSAI, WOW, KOA, WHAS, WSM, WMC, KYW, WDAF, KATHS, KSTP, WSB.
10:00 p. m.—Richardson's Orchestra—KSD, WEAF, WWJ, WSAI, WOC, WHO, KSTP.
10:30 p. m.—Ellington's Cotton Club Band —KSD, WEAF, WWJ, WOC, WSAI, WHO, KSTP.
11:00 p. m.—Albin's Orchestra — KSD, WEAF, WDAF, WHO, WWJ.

National Broadcasting Co. Blue

7:30 a. m.—Ford and Wallace—KWK, WJZ.
8:30 a. m.—Vermont Lumber Jacks — KWK, WJZ.
9:00 a. m.—Libby program—KWK, WJZ.
9 15 a. m.—Beatrice Mabie—KWK, WJZ.
9:20 a. m.—Rebroadcast from Far East —KWK, WJZ.
10:00 a. m.—Echoes of the Orient—KWK, WJZ.
10:30 a. m.—Ordorono Cutex—KWK, WJZ.
10:45 a.m.—Organ Melodies—KWK, WJZ.
11:30 a. m.—Christmas Frolics — KWK, WJZ.
12:30 p. m.—George, the Lava Man—KWK, WJZ.
12:45 p. m.—Three Mustachios — KWK, WJZ.
1:30 p. m.—Reindeer Band—KWK, WJZ.
1:45 p. m.—Sister of the Skillet — KWK, WJZ.
2:00 p. m.—Musical Art Quartet — KWK, WJZ.
4:00 p. m.—Brazilian American program —KWK, WJZ.
4:30 p. m.—Smolin and Stone — KWK, WJZ.
4:35 p. m.—Rebroadcast From England, Germany and Washington — KWK, WJZ.
5:00 p. m.—Raising Junior—WJZ.
5:15 p. m.—Van Steeden's Orchestra—WJZ, KFAB, WHAS, WSM.
6:00 p. m.—Amos and Andy — WJZ, KDKA, WLW, WJAX, WCKY, WJR.
6:45 p. m.—Friendly Five Footnotes—KWK, WJZ, KFAB, WHAS, WSM, WMC, WSB.
7:00 p. m.—Aunt Lulu's Adventures—KWK, WJZ, KDKA, KYW, KFAB.
7:15 p. m.—Landt Trio—KDKA, KYW, KFAB, WREN, WJZ.
7:30 p. m.—The First Nighter — KWK, WJZ.
8:00 p. m.—Knox-Dunlap Orchestra — KWK, WJZ, KDKA, WCKY.
8:30 p. m.—Maxwell House Ensemble—KWK, WJZ, WLW, KSTP, WEBC, WHAS, WSM, KOA, WSB, KYW, WMC, KDKA.
9:00 p. m.—Victor Herbert Opera Series —WJZ, KDKA.
10:00 p. m.—Amos and Andy — KWK, WMAQ, WDAF, WHAS, WSM, WSB, WMC, KTHS, WFAA, KOA, KFAB.
10:15 p. m.—Slumber Music—KOA, KFAB, KDKA.
11:00 p. m.—Heidt's Orchestra—WJZ.

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Columbia Broadcasting System

7:00 a. m.—Tony's Scrapbook — KMOX, WABC.
7:15 a m.—Melody Musketeers—KMOX, WABC.
7:30 a. m.—Morning Devotions—KMOX, WABC.
7:45 a. m.—Morning Minstrels—KMOX, WABC.
8:00 a. m.—Something for Everyone—KMOX, WABC.
8:30 a. m.—Morning Moods — KMOX, WABC.
10:00 a. m.—Christmas service from National Cathedral at Washington—KMOX, WABC.
11:00 a. m. — Tremaine's Orchestra—KMOX, WABC.
12 noon—Musical Aviators' Orchestra — KMOX, WABC.
12:30 a. m.—London Vicar Choir Service —KMOX, WABC.
3:15 p. m.—Asbury Park Casino Orchestra—KMOX, WABC.
3:30 p. m.—Crocket Mountaineers—KMOX, WABC.
4:00 p. m.—WSPD Commodores—KMOX, WABC.
5:00 p. m.—Talk by Dr. Duggan—WABC, WCCO, WBBM.
5:45 p. m.—Heywood Broun — WABC.
6:00 p. m.—Beck Brevities—WABC.
6:30 p. m.—Ward's Tip Top Club—WABC, KMOX.
7:00 p. m.—Topics in Brief — KMOX, WABC, KOIL, KMBC, WOWO, WCOO, WMAQ.
7:15 p. m.—Poets Gold—KMOX, WABC, WMAQ, KMBC, WCCO.
7:30 p. m.—Strauss Program — KMOX, WABC, WOWO, KOIL, WCCO.
7:45 p. m.—Hamilton Program — KMOX, KOIL, KMBC, WCCO.
8:00 p. m.—Rhythm Choristers — KMOX, WABC, WOWO, WBBM, KOIL, KMBC.
8:30 p. m.—Detective Story Program—KMOX, WABC, KOIL, KMBC, WOWO.
9:00 p. m.—The Lutheran Period — KMOX, WABC, WOWO, WBBM, KOIL, KMBC, WCCO.
9:30 p. m.—Melody Moments — WABC, WOWO, KOIL, KMBC, WCCO.
10:00 p. m.—Bernie's Orchestra—WABC, KMBC, KOIL.
10:30 p. m.—Weem's Orchestra — WABC, KOIL, WMBC, WCCO.
11:00 p. m.—Jack Pettis' Orchestra — WABC.

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Shirley M. Appleman, 2, 1406 Montrose.
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Divorces Granted.

Pauline H. from Joseph W. Beresche.
Geraldine from Louis Koester.
Elsie from Lawrence Schmitt.
Jesse A. from Aletha Rich.
Noah from Nellie Gresham.
Richard from Esther Edwards.
Thomas C. from Evelyn Southworth.
James R. from Naomi R. Towers.
Della M. from Joseph McCray.
Marie from Edward P. Jenks.
Elizabeth R. from Gilbert C. Thomas.
George from Bessie McKee.
Grace E. from John W. Goheen.
Anna from John Pentz.
Cleada from John Mathews.
Ethel L. from Walter W. Waskewitz.
Ben D. from Nellie Rhodes.
Earl E. from May Conn.
Helen from Richard S. Hall.
Thomas from Julia Lovrenovich.
Mollie E. from Peter J. Weber.
Marie from Herman Polter.
Lavada from George Dausch.

Mushroom and Oyster Entree.

Saute large mushrooms in butter for four minutes. Place on rounds of buttered toast, up-side-down. Sprinkle with salt, pepper and dot with butter. Place one large oyster on each and sprinkle with buttered crumbs. A toothpick may be necessary to hold it intact. Bake for 10 minutes in a hot oven. Good as an appetizer, too.

A tablespoon of chopped chives is well added to baked salsify.

Jellies should be cooked rapidly to insure a good color and flavor.

CURE FOR SELF-CONSCIOUSNESS

By FRANCES OLIVIER.

IN her mother's eyes Mary is not only a "case"—she is a "strange case." It seems that Mary is pretty, and altogether charming when she is among friends. But let her go out among newly formed acquaintances—at a dance for instance—and Mary becomes an altogether different girl.

Instead of being her delightfully amusing self in conversation, either she goes dead serious or plain silly. Her walk becomes affected. She sits either stiffly or with too obvious an attempt to achieve grace and poise. And her usually adorable little face takes on a permanent grin or a distressing soberness. In fact, her voice, mannerisms, everything, undergo a complete change, and not for the better.

When Mary's mother went on to explain that her child (the "case" is just 20 years of age) "is so sweet" and has "such a lovely disposition," we were not amazed. Truth to tell, we knew that Mary was "just the most thoughtful girl in the world" fully 15 minutes before her mother said so. Because, you see, it is that way with numerous self-conscious cases.

Now, if you, gentle reader, find that you are not at your best when you meet "new" people; if you hear yourself saying things that don't sound like you, and acting like somebody else, and altogether bungling at first meetings, the cause is most likely this over-anxiety to please.

And the cure: Cultivate indifference to the opinions of other people—opinions that concern you, of course.

Telling the self-conscious to forget about themselves serves, as a general rule, to make them more self-conscious. But tell them to be themselves despite what "people" may say or think, and ten to one the "people" will be saying and thinking the nicest possible things.

Haven't you ever observed the well-bred indifference to criticism and praise alike of really charming people? Their ability to walk through a staring throng obvious to the stares, or tell a story effortlessly and beautifully and without too much thought about the audience?

Needless to say, most of us must first have the assurance of being correct as to appearance and manners in order to achieve such perfect aplomb. There are those, of course, who could maintain their poise wrapped in a horse blanket, but they are the magnificent exceptions who make history. The rest of us have to be "right" as to clothes and grooming and the rules of etiquette—so right that we can afford to be indifferent to "people" —so right and so used to being right that we forget ourselves automatically.

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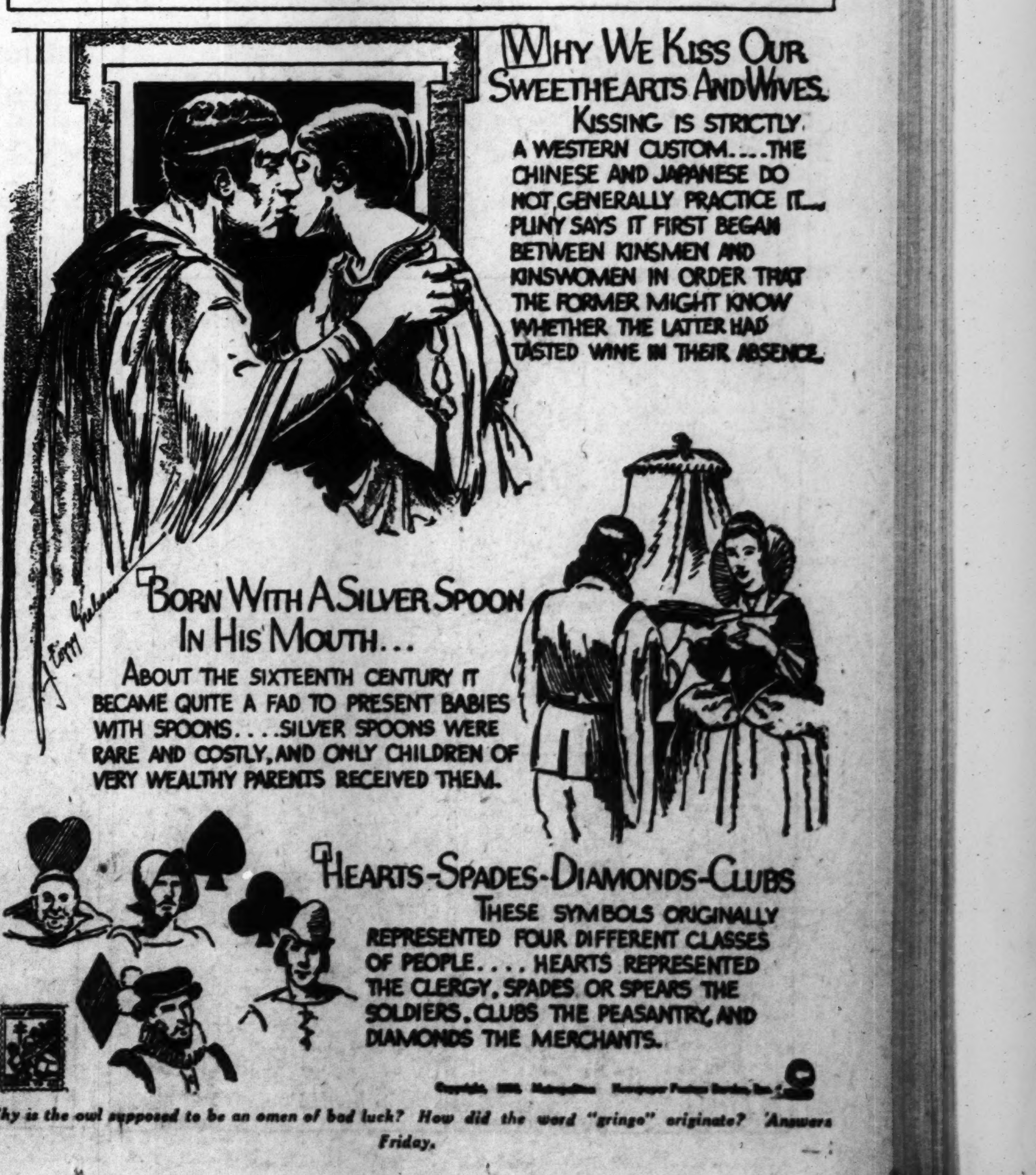
It Is There for You.

So often when we are visiting we say, "It is a shame to spoil your pretty guest towels; I'll just use this one." Then we take one that belongs to some member of the family when our hostess would greatly prefer that we used the towel provided for us. Usually guest towels are laundered not because they are mussed and soiled, but because they have become so dusty from just hanging.

HOW IT BEGAN

By RUSS MURPHY



WHY WE KISS OUR SWEETHEARTS AND WIVES.
KISSING IS STRICTLY A WESTERN CUSTOM.....THE CHINESE AND JAPANESE DO NOT GENERALLY PRACTICE IT... PLINY SAYS IT FIRST BEGAN BETWEEN KINSMEN AND KINSWOMEN IN ORDER THAT THE FORMER MIGHT KNOW WHETHER THE LATTER HAD TASTED WINE IN THEIR ABSENCE.
BORN WITH A SILVER SPOON IN HIS MOUTH...
ABOUT THE SIXTEENTH CENTURY IT BECAME QUITE A FAD TO PRESENT BABIES WITH SPOONS....SILVER SPOONS WERE RARE AND COSTLY, AND ONLY CHILDREN OF VERY WEALTHY PARENTS RECEIVED THEM.
HEARTS-SPADES-DIAMONDS-CLUBS
THESE SYMBOLS ORIGINALLY REPRESENTED FOUR DIFFERENT CLASSES OF PEOPLE.... HEARTS REPRESENTED THE CLERGY, SPADES OR SPEARS THE SOLDIERS, CLUBS THE PEASANTRY, AND DIAMONDS THE MERCHANTS.

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Why is the owl supposed to be an omen of bad luck? How did the word "gringo" originate? Answers Friday.

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Krazy Kat—By Herriman

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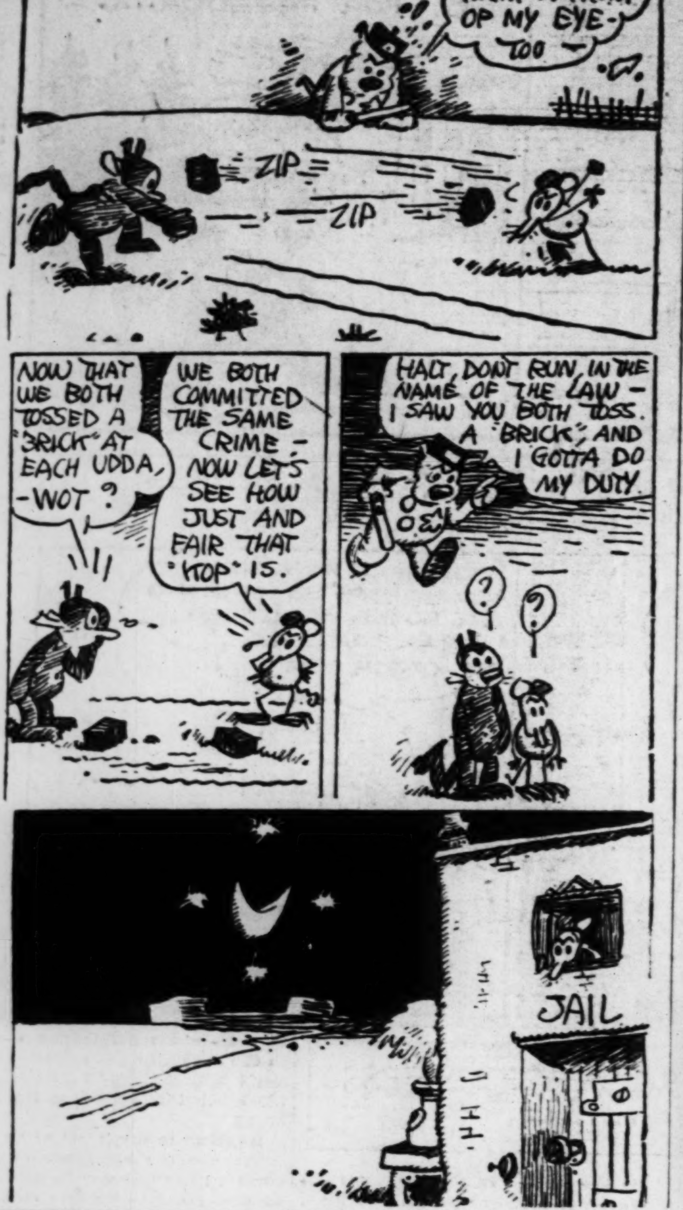
RIGHT IN FRONT OF MY EYE—TOO—
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ZIP
NOW THAT WE BOTH TOSSED A "BRICK" AT EACH UDDA, —WOT?
WE BOTH COMMITTED THE SAME CRIME—NOW LET'S SEE HOW JUST AND FAIR THAT "KOP" IS.
HALT, DON'T RUN, IN THE NAME OF THE LAW—I SAW YOU BOTH TOSS A "BRICK", AND I GOTTA DO MY DUTY
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The Bungle Family—By Harry J. Tuthill

Just Christmas

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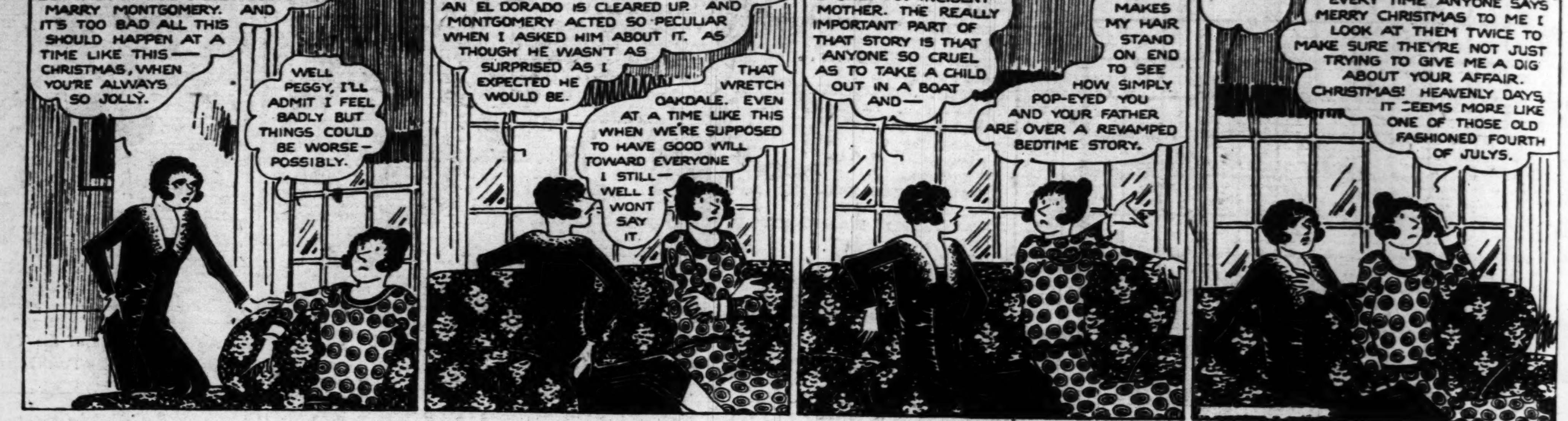
MOTHER, YOU CAN'T REALIZE HOW SORRY I AM THAT I JUST COULDN'T MARRY MONTGOMERY. AND IT'S TOO BAD ALL THIS SHOULD HAPPEN AT A TIME LIKE THIS—CHRISTMAS, WHEN YOU'RE ALWAYS SO JOLLY.
WELL PEGGY, I'LL ADMIT I FEEL BADLY BUT THINGS COULD BE WORSE—POSSIBLY.
I COULDN'T MARRY HIM...I COULDN'T, UNTIL ALL THIS TALK ABOUT HARTFORD BEING AN EL DORADO IS CLEARED UP. AND MONTGOMERY ACTED SO PECULIAR WHEN I ASKED HIM ABOUT IT. AS THOUGH HE WASN'T AS SURPRISED AS I EXPECTED HE WOULD BE.
THAT WRETCH OAKDALE. EVEN AT A TIME LIKE THIS WHEN WE'RE SUPPOSED TO HAVE GOOD WILL TOWARD EVERYONE I STILL—WELL I WONT SAY IT.
HARTFORD OAKDALE IS ONLY AN INCIDENT MOTHER. THE REALLY IMPORTANT PART OF THAT STORY IS THAT ANYONE SO CRUEL AS TO TAKE A CHILD OUT IN A BOAT AND—
PEGGY, IT JUST MAKES MY HAIR STAND ON END TO SEE HOW SIMPLY POP-EYED YOU AND YOUR FATHER ARE OVER A REVAMPED BEDTIME STORY.
WELL—
WHAT A CHRISTMAS! HA EVERY TIME ANYONE SAYS MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ME I LOOK AT THEM TWICE TO MAKE SURE THEY'RE NOT JUST TRYING TO GIVE ME A DIG ABOUT YOUR AFFAIR. CHRISTMAS! HEAVENLY DAYS, IT SEEMS MORE LIKE ONE OF THOSE OLD FASHIONED FOURTH OF JULYS.

Ella Cinders—By Bill Conselman and Charlie Plumb

Winner Take All

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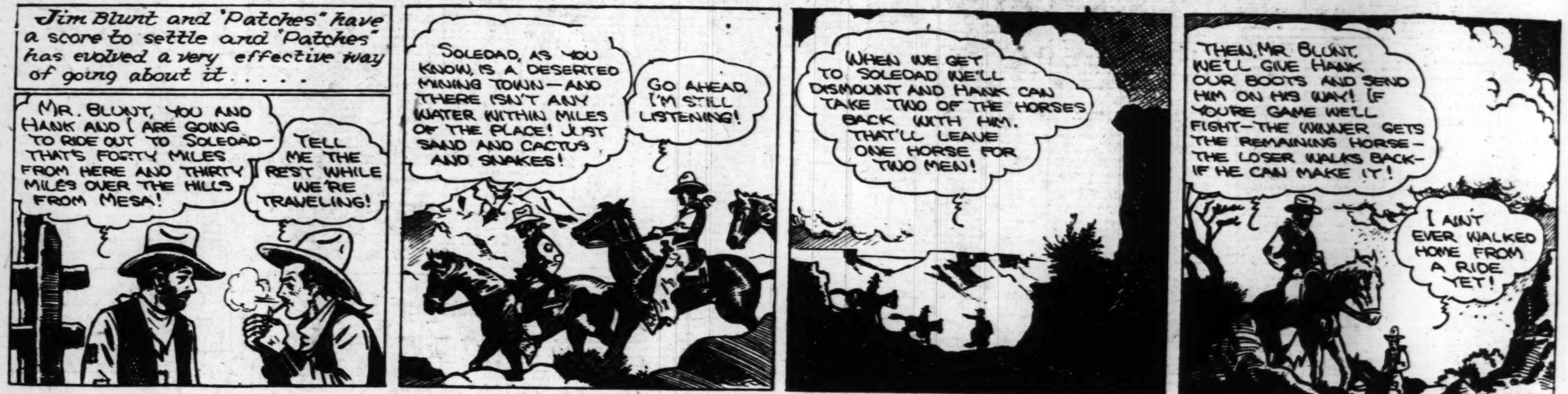
Jim Blunt and "Patches" have a score to settle and "Patches" has evolved a very effective way of going about it.....
MR. BLUNT, YOU AND HANK AND I ARE GOING TO RIDE OUT TO SOLEDAD—THAT'S FORTY MILES FROM HERE AND THIRTY MILES OVER THE HILLS FROM MESA!
TELL ME THE REST WHILE WE'RE TRAVELING!
SOLEDAD, AS YOU KNOW, IS A DESERTED MINING TOWN—AND THERE ISN'T ANY WATER WITHIN MILES OF THE PLACE! JUST SAND AND CACTUS AND SNAKES!
GO AHEAD, I'M STILL LISTENING!
WHEN WE GET TO SOLEDAD WE'LL DISMOUNT AND HANK CAN TAKE TWO OF THE HORSES BACK WITH HIM. THAT'LL LEAVE ONE HORSE FOR TWO MEN!
THEN, MR. BLUNT, WE'LL GIVE HANK OUR BOOTS AND SEND HIM ON HIS WAY! IF YOU'RE GAME WE'LL FIGHT—THE WINNER GETS THE REMAINING HORSE—THE LOSER WALKS BACK—IF HE CAN MAKE IT!
I AIN'T EVER WALKED HOME FROM A RIDE YET!

Toonerville Folks—By Fontaine Fox

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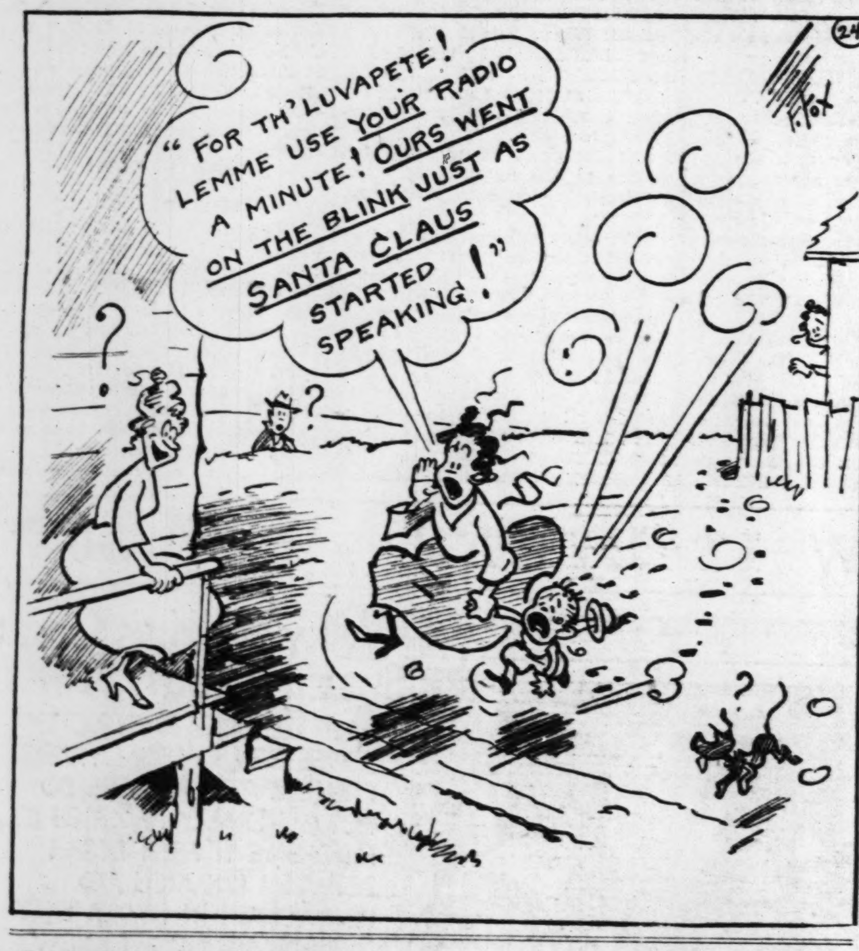
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F. Fox
"FOR TH' LUVAPETE! LEMME USE YOUR RADIO A MINUTE! OURS WENT ON THE BLINK JUST AS SANTA CLAUS STARTED SPEAKING!"
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Skippy —By Percy L. Crosby

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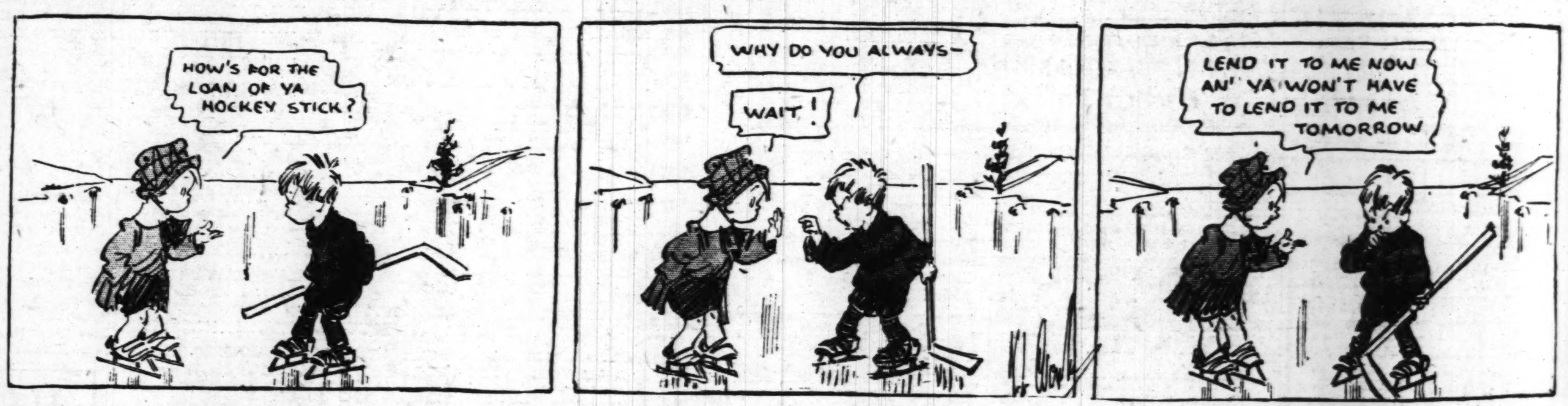
HOW'S FOR THE LOAN OF YA HOCKEY STICK?
WHY DO YOU ALWAYS—
WAIT!
LEND IT TO ME NOW AN' YA WON'T HAVE TO LEND IT TO ME TOMORROW

Outdoor Sports—By Jean Knott

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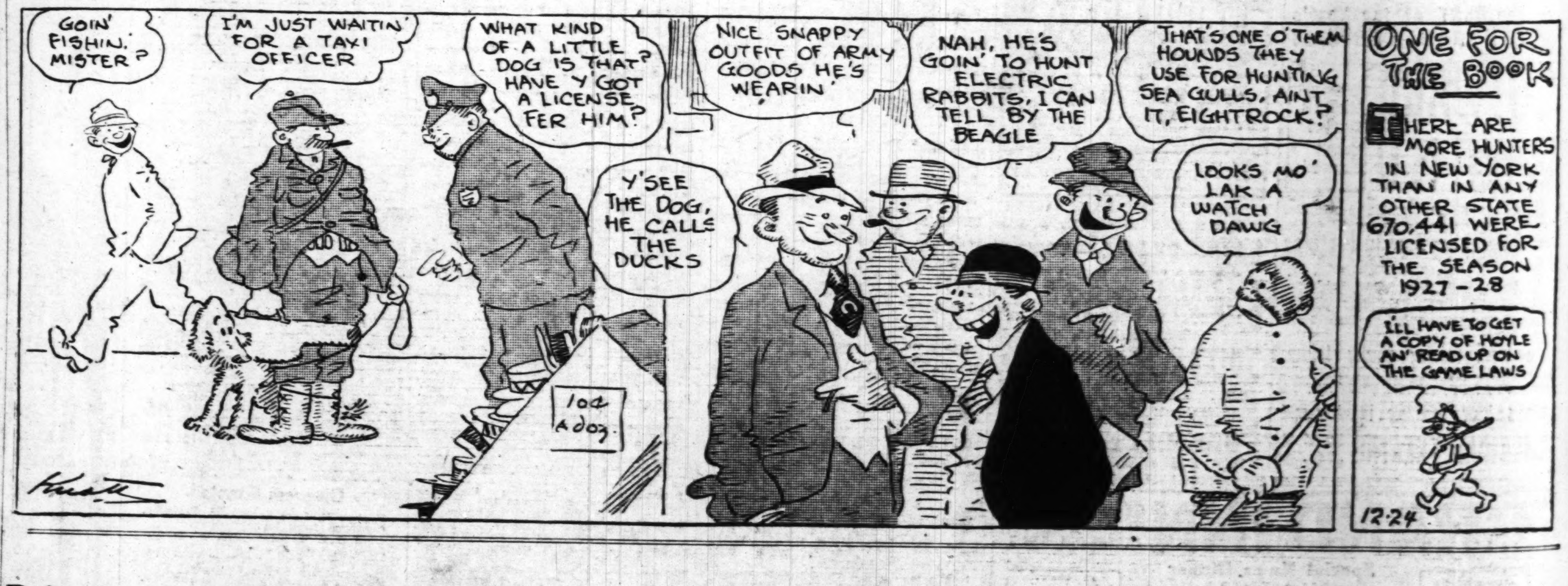
GOIN' FISHIN', MISTER?
I'M JUST WAITIN' FOR A TAXI OFFICER
WHAT KIND OF A LITTLE DOG IS THAT? HAVE Y' GOT A LICENSE FER HIM?
Y'SEE THE DOG, HE CALLS THE DUCKS
10¢ A doz.
NICE SNAPPY OUTFIT OF ARMY GOODS HE'S WEARIN'
NAH, HE'S GOIN' TO HUNT ELECTRIC RABBITS, I CAN TELL BY THE BEAGLE
THAT'S ONE O' THEM HOUNDS THEY USE FOR HUNTING SEA GULLS, AINT IT, EIGHTROCK?
LOOKS MO' LAK A WATCH DAWG
ONE FOR THE BOOK
THERE ARE MORE HUNTERS IN NEW YORK THAN IN ANY OTHER STATE 670,441 WERE LICENSED FOR THE SEASON 1927-28
I'LL HAVE TO GET A COPY OF HOYLE AN' READ UP ON THE GAME LAWS
12-24

Can You Beat It! —By Maurice Ketten

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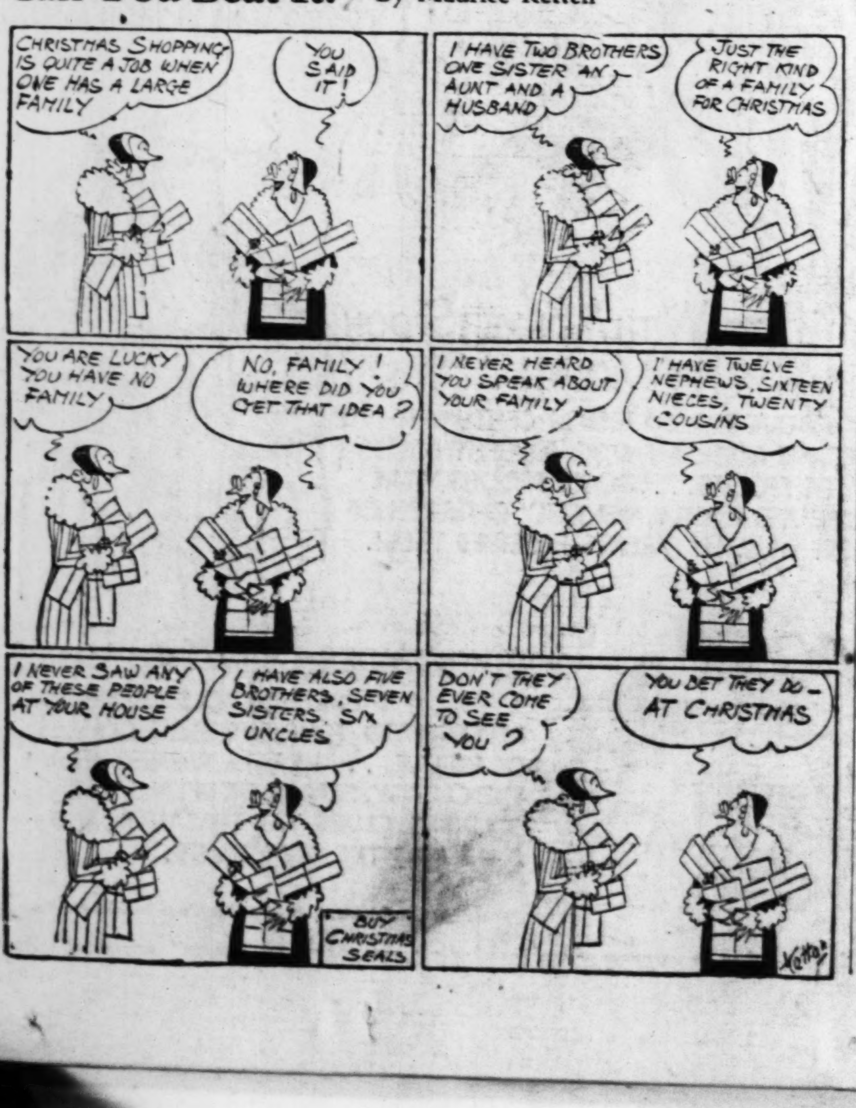
CHRISTMAS SHOPPING IS QUITE A JOB WHEN ONE HAS A LARGE FAMILY
YOU SAID IT!
I HAVE TWO BROTHERS ONE SISTER AN AUNT AND A HUSBAND
JUST THE RIGHT KIND OF A FAMILY FOR CHRISTMAS
YOU ARE LUCKY YOU HAVE NO FAMILY
NO, FAMILY! WHERE DID YOU GET THAT IDEA?
I NEVER HEARD YOU SPEAK ABOUT YOUR FAMILY
I HAVE TWELVE NEPHEWS, SIXTEEN NIECES, TWENTY COUSINS
I NEVER SAW ANY OF THESE PEOPLE AT YOUR HOUSE
I HAVE ALSO FIVE BROTHERS, SEVEN SISTERS, SIX UNCLES
DON'T THEY EVER COME TO SEE YOU?
YOU BET THEY DO—AT CHRISTMAS
BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS

Bringing Up Father—By George McManus

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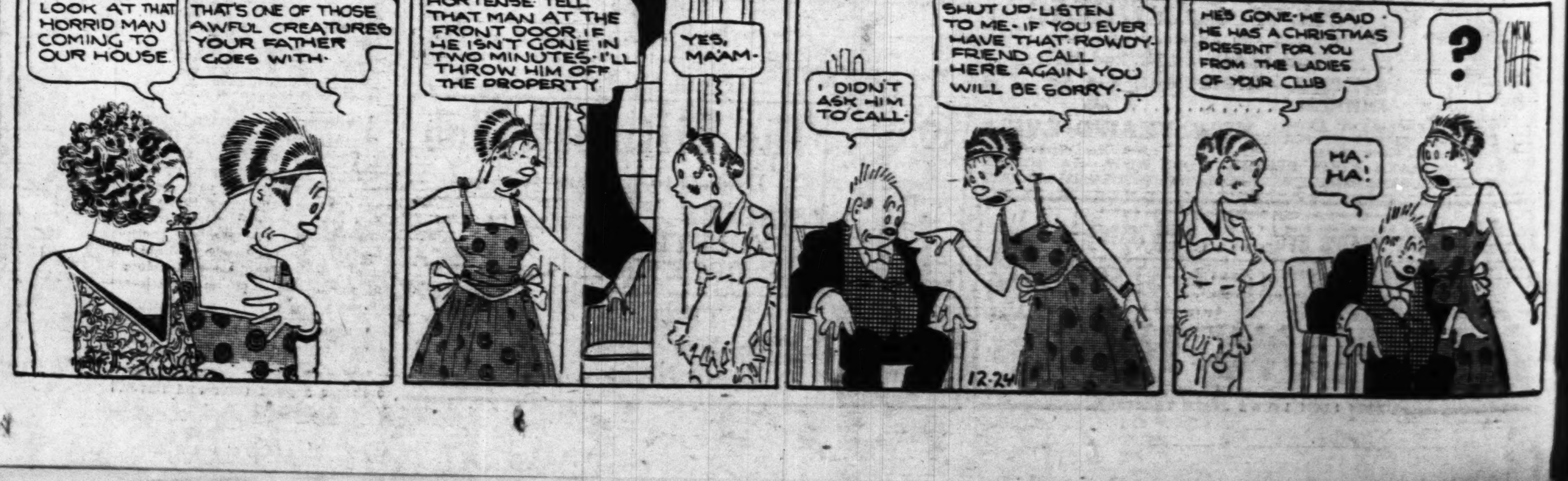
GRACIOUS! LOOK AT THAT HORRID MAN COMING TO OUR HOUSE
THAT'S ONE OF THOSE AWFUL CREATURES YOUR FATHER GOES WITH.
HORTENSE. TELL THAT MAN AT THE FRONT DOOR IF HE ISN'T GONE IN TWO MINUTES I'LL THROW HIM OFF THE PROPERTY
YES, MA'AM.
I DIDN'T ASK HIM TO CALL.
SHUT UP. LISTEN TO ME. IF YOU EVER HAVE THAT ROWDY FRIEND CALL HERE AGAIN YOU WILL BE SORRY.
12-24
HE'S GONE. HE SAID HE HAS A CHRISTMAS PRESENT FOR YOU FROM THE LADIES OF YOUR CLUB
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TODAY'S NEWS TODAY

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GANGSTER SHOT IN FRONT OF HIS HOME FROM AUTO

William Lombardo, 19, Wounded by Five Bullets, Collapses on Steps of His Residence at 1511 Carr Street.

HIS SISTER TELLS POLICE OF ATTACK

Looked From Window in Time to See Man, Wearing Gray Hat, Open Fire — Blue Sedan Observed Speeding From Scene.

William Lombardo, Sicilian gangster, was shot and seriously wounded today by gangsters who fired on him apparently from an automobile, in front of his home at 1511 Carr street.

Wounded by five bullets he was found lying on the sidewalk by his sister, Janie, who ran from the house when she heard the shots.

"Get me a doctor," he said, and collapsed.

He was taken into the house and later removed to Missouri Baptist Hospital. Physicians found he had been shot in the abdomen, chest, right shoulder and both legs.

He has been arrested more than 50 times for questioning in various crimes. Dec. 4 he was taken in the wholesale roundup of alleged narcotic peddlers by police and Federal agents.

Janie Lombardo and her mother were washing clothes in the basement of the Lombardo home when the gangster was shot down on the sidewalk a few feet from them.

Sister's Story of Shooting.

"I heard shots and ran to the window in time to see a man with a gray hat firing a revolver at my brother," the sister said. "I was so excited I could not tell whether the man was in an automobile or not. All I know was that I saw his hat, his arm and a pistol in his hand."

Mrs. Gertrude Portnoy, 1509A Carr street, next door to the Lombardo home, said she ran to the front of her house when she heard three shots, but was unable to recall whether or not an automobile was being driven from the scene as she opened the window and looked out.

"I saw Willie Lombardo on the sidewalk and knew he had been shot," she said. "He had dropped a bundle and he was crawling along the walk toward his front steps. His sister and mother ran out and I could hear him say, 'Get me a doctor.'"

Auto Seen Speeding Away.

Other residents of the neighborhood told policemen they saw a large blue sedan driven rapidly west from the scene a moment after they had heard the shots fired.

Capt. Frank Nally of the Carr Street Police Station was told that a few minutes before the shooting Lombardo had alighted from a Ford roadster at the corner of Fifteenth and Carr streets. His companion, whose name Capt. Nally had, drove away as Lombardo walked toward his home.

According to Capt. Nally, Lombardo is known to be active as a bootlegger. Police have been informed that he has recently become allied with Cuckoo gangsters who are said to be in feud with a gang of Sicilian still operators and whisky runners, but have been unable definitely to substantiate their information.

PRICE OF BREAD IN CITIES OF STATE TO BE INVESTIGATED

Attorney General to Determine If It Is Out of Line With Wheat Quotations.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Dec. 26. — Attorney General Stratton Shartel announced today that an investigation of bread prices in the larger cities and towns of Missouri would be made to determine whether the prevailing prices have responded to the lower wheat figures.

"If the bread prices are out of line with the present and past quotations on wheat, and have not responded to the lower wheat figures, it would follow that artificial means are being used to keep up the price of bread," Shartel said.

"If we should find in this investigation that concerns operating in Missouri are violating the laws of this State, they will be promptly prosecuted," the Attorney General said.

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By the Associated Press.

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By the Associated Press.

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By the Associated Press.

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